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GEO. M. SMITH, }
B. W. RISLEY, New York City. o14 1m

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Dealer in Lumber,
Office, Bodega steam saw Mills, No. 1 Gold street. Will furnish to order any quantity of dimension stuff, or ordinary sizes, with dispatch. o4 6m

WILLIAM NEWELL,
SEXTON AND UNDERTAKER,
Pacific, near Kearny st.
Every variety of coffins constantly on hand. Also, coffin plates, tomb stones, tablets, rosetts, etc. etc. n5 1m

R. F. RYAN,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW.
Office on Pacific street, nearly opposite the Court House. n14 tf

JOSEPH HENRIQUES,
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR,
County of San Francisco—Commercial street, next door to Mrs. Whitney's, up stairs. nov18 3tw tf

W. SCHLEIDEN,
Ship and Custom House Broker.
Montgomery street, opposite the Custom-house, or at his house in Broadway, between Dupont and Stockton streets. o4

SHIRTS—SHIRTS—GOOD SHIRTS.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
AT C. LEIGHTON'S FIRST PREMIUM Shirt and Gentlemen's Furnishing Store, 20 Commercial street. n7 1m

H. O'DONNELL,
Real Estate Broker and Notary Public,
On Pacific st., opposite the court house. n5 tf

J H. Blood & Co., Commission Merchants and Ship Agents. Office northwest corner Clay and Montgomery sts up staire. o1 3m

P Smith, M. D. & Theo. Dimond, M. D., office over Kelsey, Smith & Risley's store, north side of Clay street, second building above Montgomery street o1

C. V. Gillespie, Notary Public, Messrs. Howard & Green's new brick building, Montgomery street. o14

TEA—150 boxes, Imperial, gunpowder, and young hyson tea, just received per Tepic, and for sale by
Pickett & Co.
n7 tf foot Jackson street wharf.

UNION HOTEL.—Under the management of ISAAC M. HALL.—This establishment, situated on Portsmouth Square, San Francisco, State of California will be opened for the reception of guests on THURSDAY, the 7th of November, inst., under the management of Isaac M. Hall, late of the Eagle Hotel, Rochester, New York. The building has been erected within the last three months; built of brick, entirely fire-proof, five stories high, fronting on Portsmouth Square, 30 feet, and extending back 160 feet on Merchant street. There are 100 rooms, all finished in the most substantial manner, lathed and plastered, and hard finished walls. Each room is furnished with a stove and other bedroom furniture complete; bells are fitted up, communicating with the office from each room. The dining room will accommodate 150 persons, and the public may safely confide in the well known talent of Mr. Hall to make this department one of the most inviting of the house; all the delicacies of the season will be found on the table, and the wines the best the market affords. The proprietors confidently entertain the hope that this enterprise, involving at least $150,000, will meet its due appreciation by the public, and that the effort on our part to present a hotel where every comfort afforded in hotels in the Atlantic States may be found, will meet the reward of public patronage.
A. A SELOVER,
JOHN MIDDLETON, } Proprietors.
E. V. JOICE,
San Francisco, Nov. 5, 1850. n6 tf

WOOD AND COAL for Sale—By M. Nelson. Yard on Broadway, between Stockton and Powell streets, where orders will be received and attended to promptly.
Also, land for sale or lease in the western addition of the city of San Francisco, in lots to suit. Some of the most valuable garden and building spots within the limits of the city, in a rapidly improving neighborhood, are those of the subscriber, situated near the Lagunas. Title unquestionable.
M. Nelson,
nov20 Presidio Road, Lagoon.

WYCKOFF & Co., Montgomery st., between Washington and Jackson streets, offer for sale,
100 hlf bbls No 1 Mackerl, 200 qr bbls do. 300 kits do. 50 half bbls No 1 Con shad, 50 qr. do. 100 kits do. 100 half bbls mess pork, 100 qr bbls do. 100 bbls prime pork, afloat, 10,000 lbs dairy cheese, 1000 cases porter, cider and assorted syrups, 150 boxes sperm candles, 100 boxes patent refined crystaline do, 2000 lbs tobacco, 300 cases pickles, 100 bbls dried fruits, 5 bbls dried peaches, 50 boxes raisins, crushed and brown sugars, 100 cases pepper sauce and tomato catsup, 1000 lbs chocolate, 60 doz brooms, 3 cases silk hats, 100 pair blankets, and a general assortment of groceries and provisions, for city and country dealers. n1 1m

GRAND REAL ESTATE LOTTERY—Central House property, valued at $20,000, consisting of the Central House and all its furniture, &c., on Washington street.
Zinc House, and all its furniture, &c., on Dunbar's Arcade.
Frame house on Dunbar's arcade, and 252 Building lots; making 255 prizes out of 1000 tickets, or nearly one-third prizes. Will be drawn in a few days, by L. Lincoln & Co.
Tickets only $20, for sale by
Garniss & Co.,
corner Washington street and Jones' Lane. o18 tf

TO LET—Two stores on Montgomery street. Also, two Offices with sleeping apartments attached, in the same building. Also one basement, (with office in front) 15x56 feet, and 9 feet high, well adapted for a bottling establishment or a restaurant. Apply to
James H. Ray,
Jackson street, one door below Sansome.
FOR SALE—150 bbls best quality pilot bread. Also, spikes, wrought and cut, from 4 to 15 inches. o30 tf

COPARTNERSHIP—The undersigned have this day formed a copartnership under the firm of Cooke & Lecount, for the purpose of carrying on the wholesale and retail stationery business in general. They have leased the fire proof store in Wells & co's Buildings, Montgomery st, next door to Wells & Co's Banking House.
Wm. B. Cooke,
o1 tf J. J. Lecount.

TO LET—The Large Store 23 by 70 feet, finished and ready for occupancy, on the corner of Davis and Sacramento streets, and one of the best stands in this city for business. The lower floor and third story will be let together, or the whole will be let to one person, if desired. Inquire of
Wm. C. Hoff,
o10 at Hoff & Co., Howison's pier.

FOR RENT, at convenient terms: The 3 story Brick and Iron Warehouse, 40 by 60 feet, on Montgomery street, next to the Custom House, hitherto occupied by Messrs. J. B. Cannon & Co. Either the whole or the different stories to suit parties.
It being desirable to let the whole building under a lease for six or eight months, the terms will be reduced accordingly.
Apply to S. I. Gower & Co., or Edward Vischer, near the premises. nov18 tf

GOLD DUST Bought or Insured, and forwarded to any part of the States, by way of New York or New Orleans, at the lowest rates, by
Gregory's Express,
o18 tf f Office 280 Montgomery street.

WAS PICKED UP and left alongside the bark "Bohemia," a Scow Pile Driver. The owner or owners are requested to come forward, pay charges, and take her away. Apply on board bark Bohemia, off Jackson st. Wharf. n23 tf

SPLENDID NEW BUGGY, on a very light principle, with seats for four. For sale at the Java House by
McCormack & Co.
Tea Dealers and Coffee Roasters,
n11 244 Montgomery st.

STATE WARRANTS, for sale, in sums of $100 each, convenient for the payment of state taxes, auction dues, licenses, &c. Inquire at the *Pacific News* office. n9 4 w

SAN JOSE. SAN JOSE.
BERFORD & CO'S LINE
OF EXPRESS MAIL STAGES,
HALL & CRANDAL, PROPRIETORS,
Are now running every morning to San Jose, leaving Berford & Co's office in the plaza, at 8 o'clock, A. M., and the City Hotel in San Jose at 7 o'clock, A. M.
The reduced rate of fare puts it in the power of every one to visit the beautiful and healthful valley of Santa Clara. There is no more charming drive in California than that from San Francisco to San Jose, and as one is whirled rapidly through the oak openings and across the level plains under the skillful driving of Professors Dillon or Crandal, who drive their own coaches, he finds that pleasure is united with business, and wonders he has never made the trip before.
The great advantage this line possesses over all others, is that the Stages were bought expressly for the road, and with a particular attention to *safety*, while the drivers, who have served a long apprenticeship from New England to Mexico, make the *quickest* time and *never meet with accidents*, which are so likely to occur with the old fashioned stage coaches. We invite our friends to give the line a trial.
n7 tf Berford & Co.

THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS REWARD will be paid for the apprehension and conviction of one JESSE J. GRAHAM, who murdered Dennis Bennett, in Cyante, Santa Cruz, State California, on the 22d of April, A. D. 1850. The said Jesse J. Graham is about six feet high, dark complexion, dark eyes, round shouldered, stoops when he walks; has a very frowning look and speaks through his nose. It was supposed that he laid concealed in Cyante until the last day of August, or about the first of September, and when last seen, was met in company with some others on the Salinas, on his way to the river Colorado, and to Texas, where his mother resides. The above reward will be paid for his safe delivery at San Francisco, Santa Cruz, or Monterey; one thousand by the county of Santa Cruz, the other two thousand by JACKSON BENNETT, brother of deceased.
SANTA CRUZ, Nov. 19, 1850. n23 6m

A GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR INVESTMENT.—For Sale, all that valuable property known as the *San Francisco Coffee and Spice Mills*, situated on Pine street, near Kearny, consisting of the unexpired term of lease of Lot and House, with the superior new steam engine of 8 horse power, together with the large roasters, mills, tools, beltings, outhouses, stabling, mules and wagons. Also a large and superior horse power. The above Factory is capable of roasting and grinding from 2000 to 3000 lbs. of coffee daily, and can at the same time, facilitated by the steam engine and machinery, grind spices, corn, &c.
The above property will either be rented or sold on favorable terms. Apply to
Wm. H. Henriques,
Commercial st., two doors above Simmons, Lilly & Co., up stairs.
n23 2t 2w

BOARDING—Mrs. GRAHAM'S SELECT BOARDING HOUSE, corner of Broadway and Dupont street, San Francisco.
Mrs. G. having enlarged her house since the grading and planking of Dupont street, is prepared to accommodate a much larger number of boarders than heretofore, and will endeavor to make the inmates of her house *at Home*.
☞ Gentlemen doing business down town will find this a pleasant location, the streets being graded and planked past the house.
n15 tf

PRINTING PAPER.—Proposals will be received by the undersigned for the supply of first quality Printing Paper for the State work at the ensuing Session of the Legislature. Medium Book Paper and Foolscap are the kinds most wanted. Address (at Pacific News Office) with samples and terms,
J. Winchester, State Printer.
n21 10t

JENNY LIND Sofa Bedsteads.—Just received by the Celestial, a superior article of rosewood and mahogany Sofas, with rich damask and plush cushions, pillows, &c. Also, fine mahogany top centre Tables, which will be sold low if applied for soon.
J. A. McCrea & Co.
Sansome street, between Washington and Jackson streets. n8 tf

FOR SALE—A Corrugated Iron Store, 30x60; will sell less than freight and duties. Also, for sale, a fine piano, very melodious, will sell very cheap. Apply to W. SCHLEIDEN,
on Broadway, between Dupont and Stockton streets, or at his office, opposite the Custom house o1

STEAMER McKIM for sale—A fine boat for the Oregon or Southern coast trade. The commodious and popular steam propeller McKIM, in complete running order, together with new boilers and other machinery, daily expected to arrive from the United States, is offered for sale Apply to
Everett & Co.,
o10 tf Howison's wharf

TO SHIPMASTERS and Consignees of Vessels—The subscriber is now prepared to supply shipping with water of the purest kind from the Joaquin river, at the shortest notice, having a vessel with the capacity of 20,000 gallons. Orders left with the undersigned at the Pilots office, on Cunningham's wharf, opposite office of steamers Senator and New World, will meet with prompt attention
o11 tf James Nelson, Agent.

STORE TO RENT—The subscribers being about to remove to their new warehouse on California street, offer for rent the desirable location at present occupied by them. Terms favorable to a responsible tenant.
Bragg & Whittemore,
n11 tf Sansome street.

FOR SALE.—At the Java House, an invoice of English Boots, water proof coats and caps, pilot cloth jackets, &c. &c
McCormack & Co.
Tea Dealers and Coffee Roasters,
n11 244 Montgomery st.

A TRIAL IN CALIFORNIA.

[Correspondence of the N. Y. Jour. of Com.]
SOUTH YUBA RIVER, Cal.,
July 16th, 1850.

One of the most amusing episodes in the life of a Californian, is the infinite variety of law which he sees and hears. The following trial, which I attended a few days since, is a fair specimen:

The question in dispute was, as usual, a "jumped claim." Scene—Washington, a village high up on the south Yuba. Court room—a "round tent," or gambling shop, owned by the Alcalde, whom behold at a monte table behind which he sits with all the dignity of office, wearing the only coat to be found in the place.

In pleading, the defendant "put himself upon the miners," instead of "upon the country," according to the usual form, and then remarked that the papers in his hand had been drawn up with a view to test the bail, which he clenched by quietly adding, 'who is well known to be in the round tent interest.' He then required the plaintiff to enter security for cost of suit, and when the other had done this, demanding the same of him, he refused, coolly remarking that he never intended to pay costs or abide the court's judgment, but should appeal to the miners in mass meeting. The plaintiff at once withdrew the suit, avowing his purpose to settle upon the claim and defend it with his rifle. The defendant thereupon joined issue: 'he would do the like,' and they were about leaving the round tent when the Alcalde rose from his monte table and indignantly burst forth. His speech was filled with expletives left-handed blessings, to which I dare not attempt to do justice. It was only of an hour's length, but consisted of a few topics upon which the changes were fiercely rung. He prefaced all by pulling off his coat. As near as I can recollect, the body of his speech was this:

"Gentlemen! hold on a bit till I get through, and then we'll take a tod together. I can't help speaking to you now, 'cause that dirty old cayote of a defendant has attacted my honor. I meant to keep still till the trial was over, but now since they've quit that, and are going to work at the game that 'the longest pole knocks off the persimmon,' I'm bound to tell the defendant that I don't know him, don't *keer* for him, don't *fear* him, and swear I'll flog him. Gentlemen, this is the first time my honor was ever attacted since you elected me Alcalde. If ever I try another case, I'll try it with a revolver on the table, and if any man insults me he shall receive the contents of it. Gentlemen, I stand in Californy on my own footing as a man, and on the responsibility of the miners as an alcalde. I come from Old Varginy a poor boy, and went to Mazoura, where I should have been poor all my life if I hadn't married a girl with a powerful smart sprinklin' of money. Then I used to lay off in the shade with my babies, and it was a heart's delight to sit and see me do it. I come out to Californy to replace them dimes, and when a man assails my reputation, he assails the reputation of a man of family, who hev family duties to mind. I left a wife and two innocent babies in Mazoura, and it would be mean for me to come out here and do anything dishonorable. Gentlemen, the defendant hev huv out some insinuations aginst my character! If he'd done anything else I wouldn't keer, but when my honor is attacted, I'd rather die—oh-h-h! [Here the Alcalde had a choking spasm of some lenth, and then proceeded, with clenched fists.] Gentlemen, I'm the littlest man on the river, but I've got a heart as big as a round tent! That's why they elected me alcalde, because I was a little man and had a heart big enough to do justice to round tent men and miners both. Since I've been alcalde, I've always given 'em the right sort of justice, and as long as I am alcalde I mean to give 'em just what sort of justice suits me best. I'm no lawyer, and don't know any kind of law but common law. And everybody knows that is nothing but common sense and justice, as we practyse it in Californy. Now, gentlemen, I want you to see if I don't give that defendant justice according to the common law of these diggins. [Here the monte table shook under an emphatic whack of his fist, and the ink was scattered over the records of the court.] Now the ink and the pen and the papers and the defendant may all go to hell together!"

He thereupon leaped upon the defendant, and proceeded to administer the "common law of Californy" in most superb style. When this operation was finished and the defendant kicked out of the seat of justice—videlicit, the round tent, the alcalde turned to the crowd and politely remarked:

"Gentlemen, allow me to express my obligations to you for your presence and the attention you have shown me during this trying ceremony. Toddle up, all of you, and take a tod. Then, I can beat any man in the crowd at seven-up with an ounce for the first Jack!"

☞ The New York Courier and Enquirer, in noticed the recent capital convictions in London, and contrasting them with those in our own country, relates the history of a most revolting murder as follows:

Elizabeth Budd, convicted of the murder of Maria Hook, her neice, by withhold from her necessary food and clothing. Such a case of inhuman cruelty has no parallel in our criminal records. Richard Hook, the father, a man of substance, losing his wife, took her sister, the said Elizabeth, to be his housekeeper. She had children of her own, and soon, becoming mistress of the family, she began to neglect and shockingly maltreat the three children of Hook by her sister, of whom Maria was the youngest. This little girl being only four years old, on account of her tender age of course, suffered the most, and if there was any distinction, was the most misused. She was kept almost naked, was left covered with filth, was scarcely allowed a morsel of food, was whipped most unmercifully for crying for bread, was suffered to lie by the road side unheeded, was reduced to a skeleton, and made half idiotic by hard usage, and finally died in convulsions. That girl when dead weighed only six pounds, which is less than the ordinary weight of an infant at birth! Not the least remarkable feature of this case was, that the whole neighborhood were virtually accomplices of this slow, infernal murder. They all knew what was in progress, and yet raised not a hand to prevent it. Neither the clergyman of the parish, nor the parochial authorities nor a single neighbor, interposed between the child and the consummation of her long agony. On the trial Elizabeth Budd, the housekeeper, was found guilty, and sentenced to transportation for life; and Richard Hook, the father, it being proved that he was from home much of the time, was acquitted.

These are the atrocities which are monthly perpetrated in England, and which the conductors of the press seldom deign to notice, while the English language is racked for words to express their indignation at crimes in America, far, we were about to say, infinitely less aggravated.

A YOUNG MOTHER.—The census taken in Grundy County, Ill., has found a young lady fourteen years of age, who was married at eleven, and now delights in the possession of a nice, plump, masculine "Sucker," who has cried after her some fifteen moons, and has been for some time practising the art of balancing, with great success.

IMOPRTANT DECISION.—We find the following important decision in a Philadelphia paper:

Important Case.—We have before noticed this case in which Hiram Waring, of New York, asked of the Court of Common Pleas, an injunction upon 11,000 of California gold, deposited in the United State Mint, in this city, by Smith Cram, also of the Empire City. The matter was ably and eloquently argued by J. Murray Rush and Peter McCall, Esqs. for the defendant, and H. J. Williams, Esq., for the plaintiff. On Saturday the case, which has been held under advisement, was again before the Court, and Judge King delivered an opinion. After reciting the facts of the case as set forth in the bill and answer, and giving the law as it bore upon the case, the Court refused the injunction, holding that the labor of one of the partners in another business than for the carrying on of which they had associated, without making use of the partnership property, could not be injoined for the use of the partnership.

Mr. Cram, it will be recollected, was one of the "Putnam Mining Company," which went to the Gold Regions for Mr. Warring, upon certain stipulated conditions, which the defence alleges were not fulfilled, and in consideration of the plaintiff failin to meet his contracts, the company was disbanded. Mr. Cram then returned to San Francisco, with his son, and engaged in the business of pile driving, from which business about $11,000 was realized, and upon their arrival at home, it was deposited in the Philadelphia Mint. It was to prevent the removal of this sum by Mr. Cram that the injunction was asked.

☞ Some scamp stole the wallet out of the pocket of one of the editors of the Cincinnati Nonpareil, (there are seven of them,) when he was at a fire. The principal article of value it contained was a note for forty-two dollars on a rich man in Western Virginia, who failed last spring for thirty thousand dollars more than he was worth, and then went to California to retrieve his fortune but unfortunately died on his way there! The editor will pay five cents in advertising for the recovery of the note. The gentleman on whom the note was drawn will oblige him by refusing payment if presented to him without endorsement.

The Cost of Railroads.—An article in the last Westminster Review states, that the average cost of railways in the United States, has been about $10,300 a mile; while that of the English railroads has been nearly $200,000 per mile, including the sums squandered during the mania of 1845–'46. In fact, the annual expense of a railroad in England, is more than the original cost of one in the United States.

A SAILOR'S IDEA OF GOOD MEAT.—Waburton, in his account of a voyage up the Nile, gives an amusing instance of the singular opinion held by sailors. He says: "On arriving at Kanch, we gave the crew a *feast*, consisting of an *old ram*, preferred by them to the young mutton, because it *stood more chewing*."

EDWARD EVERETT has been many years engaged in the collection and arrangement of materials for a systematic Treatise on the Modern Law of Nations, more especially in reference to those questions which have been discussed between the governments of the United States and Europe since the peace of 1783.

Beating Time — The Cambria's news was received in New Orleans, by the O'Reilly and House lines, at half past 7 on Thursday evening, having left New York at 8 o'clock on the same evening!—the difference of time between the two cities, being about one hour. The actual time occupied in the transmission was thirty minutes.

A woman in Jersey, standing over the corpse of her husband, exclaimed in an agony of grief, "It's a pity he is dead, for his teeth were as good as they ever were!"

It is said that young ladies who faint on being "proposed to," can be restored to consciousness by whispering in their ears that you were only joking.

Efforts are making to hold a world's Fair in New York, in 1852, after the plan of that to be held in London, in 1851.

☞ Gen. Cass has been re-nominated by twenty counties in Pennsylvania, and one in Ohio, for the next Presidency.

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COUNTY AND CITY AFFAIRS.

We refer our readers to the communication of Judge Morrison, on the subject of our County and City affairs. It is known that here in California individual interests are so absorbing, that there are few who take sober thought of matters of public concern. We most cheerfully concur in the views suggested by Judge M., who, it is generally admitted, plies himself with as much industry to the duties of his laborious office, as any other officer of the State.

We have no doubt but that the recommendations will meet with the concurrence of our citizens generally, as well as the Legislature, who are alone competent to afford relief. Its all very easy to find fault with what *has* been done, but it is quite another matter to propose a remedy.

THE WHIG PARTY IN NEW YORK.

Whenever the Whig party, by any juggle or log-cabin excitement, succeeds in gaining the ascendency in a Democratic State, or in the Union, a few months serves to scatter their power and position to the winds. Their principles have little weight in keeping together the ends of every *ism* of which the party is composed. They rode into power in 1840, and less than a year served to divide and distract them, and the Democracy again assumed the reins of government. By a sectional division of the Republican party, in 1848, they again succeeded in electing their candidate by a plurality vote, but they have hardly had time to take off the official heads of the Democratic office holders, before they are again engaged in a "civil war."

The Whig party of New York are just now in a very interesting situation. The "Fillmore Whigs" and the "Seward Whigs" are loud in their denunciation of each other, and positive in their charges of trickery and dishonesty. When rogues fall out, it is said that honest men get their dues. At the recent State Convention in New York, they were especially lavish of their left-handed compliments, and in commenting upon the action of the majority, the *N. Y. Express*, a bitter Whig partizan paper, remarks as follows:

"The concerted, but carefully concealed conspiracy to interpolate Abolitionism upon the Whig creed, and to turn over the Whig party of New York to the Giddingses, Garret Smiths, and Fred Douglasses of this State, and thereby to sever that party from the Whigs of the Union, burst forth at Syracuse. Having had about the whole patronage of the federal government to work with for eighteen months past, and also the powerfully diverted canal patronage of the State, to the utter amazement of the whig party, a majority of delegates was found, at Syracuse, insisting upon it, as a *sine qua non* of their being a whig party at all, that the "higher law" creed of a conspicuous senator, be made a test of a whig—that Henry Clay, Daniel Webster, John J. Crittenden, Thomas Corwin, and Millard Fillmore, (our own cherished son) all be censured and degraded, with the thirteen whig members of Congress from this State who followed the advice of a whig President and a whig administration, and thereby gave peace to the country. Under such circumstances, for such men as Francis Granger and William Duer longer to remain actors in such a convention, would have been an utter degradation of themselves, and made them the scorn and contempt of the whole whig party of the Union."

This is very prétty language on the part of a press that has reached, and always maintained a "lower depth" of Whiggery than any other in the State. It has swallowed everything that has been presented by the Whig State or National administration, and bitter indeed must be the dose which its capacious maw cannot freely gulp down. In continuing its reference to the Seward Whigs, it hits the Cabinet of the late President very severely, and adds:

"We have no idea that, since the elevation of Millard Fillmore to the Presidency, there ever has been, on the part of the managers and wire-pullers of the interior of this State, any intent to allow the harmony of the Whig party to remain undisturbed, and we believe their project, from the moment the *Galphin Cabinet* quit, has been to rule the Whig party into abolitionism, or to ruin it in the attempt."

A portion of the Whig State Central Committee declined serving, and in asking to be excused, they say:

"The undersigned do not design to go into an explanation of the reasons which have prompted their course, further than to say that as Whigs, deeply imbued with national principles, and with a desire to preserve or maintain the national character of the party, they can not reconcile it to a conscientious sense of duty to accept an appointment, or to execute a trust, by which their views and opinion, in this respect, would be compromised or misconceived."

Although away off here in the Pacific, far from the scene of these political "domestic difficulties," in common with others we cannot but feel an interest in whatever will have a bearing upon the next Presidential campaign, in which California will be called upon to act a part. We wish to put on record now, the truthful sayings of our opponents, of the trickery and heartlessness, politically, of each other, brought out by the unsatisfactory division of the spoils, consequent upon their accession to power. The Seward Whigs are playing a bold game to advance the interest of their favorite for the next Presidency, but the Fillmore portion of the party have no idea of playing "second fiddle" in any such programme. They have their own ends to accomplish, and with the whole patronage of the National Administration at their disposal for two years, and the strength which the sympathies of the party, in other States, will naturally give them, they may well feel a confident assurance of the future. "Thrift will follow fawning," and when they once throw their banner to the breeze, the friends of Seward will desert him like rats from a sinking ship.

ANOTHER SENSIBLE MOVEMENT.—The *Pacific News*, seeing no possible chance that the next Legislature will elect a Loco Foco United States Senator, is turning its attention to the selection and support of candidates for the Whigs.

☞ No such design, neighbor; but as *circumstances* prevented the *Courier* from giving publicity to the movement on foot in favor of Col. Collier for U. S. Senator, we exposed the matter, as an act of neighborly kindness. We have no idea that the Col. will serve us in that capacity at Washington, as the Legislature will send an "unterrified" Democrat to see to our little business in that quarter, but was only anxious to post up the reading public of the progress of an affair about which the *Courier* maintains an ominous silence!

THE LADIES' FAIR—we mean, of course, by this, the fair ladies,—had another social and busy working reunion, last evening, at Mrs. Bartlett's, in Stockton street, between Washington and Clay streets. The *fair*, itself, will be held at the next full of the moon. This delay will rather be an advantage than otherwise, we judge, for, not only are these preliminary gatherings of much social interest as affects society in San Francisco, but the *funds* in aid of the proposed object, as we observed by the vary liberal contributions, are constantly increased thereby.

The fair then, as we regard it, will be but the culminating point of an era in our social progress, in this country. We all have been accustomed to such things the other side of the continent, and no small good is effected in establishing here all such practices as tend to the refinement and adorning of mankind. But give us the aid of cultivated and christian women in society, and it will do more for its improvement than all the enactments of positive law. Men will love to act upwrightly when they see lovely virtue impersonated in these beautiful companions of our lives.

CORRECTION.—An unadvised article in our paper yesterday morning, no doubt did great injustice to Capt. E. Smith, of the brig Samuel & Edward, just in from Talcahuana. Capt. Smith informs us that every man who was discharged, was fully and satisfactorily paid, and in accordance with their wishes; that Gen. Veazie has not a dollar of interest in the vessel, and that neither the agent nor owner of the Gov. Dana has anything to do with her, and of course no control over the vessel. Captain Smith gives us the most positive assurance that these are the facts, and we cheerfully make the correction as a matter of justice.

THANKSGIVING SERMON.—We understand that the Rev. Charles A. Farley, of the First Unitarian Church, will preach a Thanksgiving sermon, at Athenæum Hall, on Sunday morning next, at eleven o'clock. The subject will be, *The Moral Aspect of California*, and in the hands of Mr. Farley, we have no doubt it will be treated in a sound, sensible style. He is one of the most eloquent men in his profession, and his discourse will no doubt be listened to with pleasure and attention.

APPOINTMENT OF POSTMASTER.—We are glad to learn that the Special Postoffice Agent for California, has appointed George G. Blodgett, Esq., Postmaster at Louisville, in El Dorado county. The place contains a population of 1000, and is rapidly increasing, and supplies, within a circuit of five miles, from four to six thousand miners. We have known the new appointee for a long time, and have no hesitation in saying that he will make an efficient and faithful public officer. May all the appointments for California be as wisely made.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.—The Democracy of Sacramento assemble in County Convention to-morrow, for the purpose of nominating a candidate to fill the vacancy in the legislature occasioned by the death of Mr. Dunlap.

CAUGHT AT IT.—A fellow was caught in Pacific street, Wednesday night, carrying off a cask of liquor, and was fired into by the owner, with a musket. It is said that his legs were well peppered.

HEALTH OF STOCKTON.—The Journal, in speaking of the health of Stockton, says that the cholera has disappeared entirely in that city, and they have yet to learn of a single case occurring in any other portion of that district.

COUNTY AND CITY AFFAIRS.

Editors of the Pacific News:

Sir: I avail myself of my official position to challenge attention to the condition of our local public affairs, and to suggest some amelioration and amendment, by changes, which may be made. It was not to be expected under the novel circumstances in which the Legislature was convened for the first time, that its action would be as harmonious and systematic as the settled bases of the States on the other side of the Isthmus. In a country freshly settled, and vaulting into political manhood, as by a single effort—its actual creations casting the fictions of the Arabian necromancer into the shade, composed of members in every State of the Union, many of whom, perhaps, were unway wise in the matter of Legislation, and comparative strangers to each other, it was natural to expect that all that was done would not be done well.

It is therefore the duty of their successors, by the aid of a little experience of the actual working of the system, to make such changes as are obviously demanded.

Passing over the general laws of the State, I confine myself to the plan of our county and city government. I think it will be conceded that its organization is defective, so far as it applies to San Francisco. There should have been no substantial distinction between city and county, for it is known that with the exception of a few large, uncultivated *ranchos* in the southern section, the city is the county, and the county is the city. We have now duplicates of important public officers—assessors, treasurers, collectors, prosecuting attorneys, &c.; unavoidable difference, to a considerable extent, in the assessments of the same property, creates irritating difficulties with the owners, aside from the annoyance of being plied by a double set of officials and tax-gatherers.

One assessment, one collection, one treasurer, one court for the trial of inferior class of public offences (which ought to be speedily disposed of, especially where the accused are imprisoned,) and one jail, would seem to be sufficient for all practical purposes, and save expense.

The owners of lands outside the city bounds, could be protected from taxes for the city expenses proper, by a modification which would confine their taxes to a fair and reasonable proportion.

It is commended that the power now vested in the Court of Sessions, sitting for civil business, be given to supervisors elected by the wards, the agricultural district constituting one or more townships for that purpose, as might be found convenient.

A large and substantial building, secured, as far as may be, against destruction by fire, is greatly needed, on a basis competent for the State, County, and City Courts, combining chaste ornament with permanent utility.

An enlightened and well directed humanity, which marks the presence of the Anglo American race, seems to demand the establishment of an eleemosinary system founded upon results elaborated by the experience of the older States, rendering aid and comfort to the indigent among us, most of whom are without relations here to come to their assistance. Let the city and county be thrown together, and these improvements can be made from a common fund, and by a common effort to meet these various wants.

Under the present revenue laws, the resources provided are entirely inadequate to the heavy and increasing expenses of the county, and it is believed that the city is in the same condition.

In a future communication, some suggestions may be made for raising funds for these purposes, in a manner the most feasible and least oppressive to our citizens.

The office of County Judge of this county is entirely overtasked. Its duties are multifarious and numerous, imposing severe labor and great responsibilities. From the judgments of the county court there is no appeal provided by law, and it is of the highest importance that the cases litigated there should be examined with care, and the rule of decision intelligently and correctly declared.

The Probate jurisdiction of this county is already large, and increasing with the fearful bills of mortality within its limits. It should be kept open daily, to take prompt action for the due preservation of estates of decedents, a large portion of whom are without kinsmen in the State to look after their affairs.

There is work enough in this office alone for any one individual. These offices are created by the constitution, assigned to the same officer, and cannot be separated by the Legislature. They have, however, the power to relieve the incumbent from a portion of its burthens.

R. N. MORRISON.

THE MAIL.—The mail for steamer Oregon, which sails on Sday next, will close at the Postoffi at one o'clock on that day.

MAYOR'S VETO.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25, '50.

Gentlemen of the Common Council:

In examining the "Ordinance for the payment of Wm. Greene for the removal of the Ocean House," the following facts have been ascertained:

During the early part of the year 1849, a grant of certain wharfing privileges upon Broadway, was made to David Dring, by the legislative assembly of San Francisco, with authority to collect tolls for the landing of merchandise, &c., upon the condition that 10 per cent. of the amount collected be paid into the city treasury, as a compensation for the aforesoid privilege. This condition has never been complied with, either by the grantee or his assigns, as far as can be ascertained from the records of the treasury, and also from other sources. This failure on the part of the grantee has doubtless vitiated the grant, and rendered it null and void.

No authority was given to the grantee to build a house or houses in the street by the original grant. He was notified that the conditions of the grant had not been complied with, and more than a year ago an order was issued to remove the house, but upon application to the late Ayuntamiento, permission was obtained from them for it to remain for a short time only, because it was represented to be a convenient place for landing passengers. Since that time the house remained, much to the annoyance of the property holders in the vicinity, and it has lately been declared a public nuisance by the Grand Jury of the county.

Believing, then, that if the contract between the Legislative Assembly and the grantee was ever binding, the non-compliance with its conditions on the part of the grantee and his assigns has rendered it nugatory and void. It seems, therefore, the house should be removed from the street at the expense of the owner, and that he should receive no pay therefor.

I regret it deeply when I feel myself compelled to differ in opinion with the Common Council, and would with satisfaction concur with them in the present instance, if I did not feel assured that a dangerous precedent would be established, and that the sum of nine thousand five hundred dollars would be improperly drawn from the public treasury.

With these, my objections, I return the ordinance without my approval. J. W. GEARY, Mayor.

THEATRICAL.—"Therese" was played at the Dramatic Museum last evening, to a crowded house. The various characters were very well taken. A good bill for to-night.

This evening is the last but one of the Model Artistes and the Mauduit Brothers at the Adelphi. Do not let the opportunity pass to witness their performances.

The Jenny Lind Theatre will produce "The Lady of Lyons," this evening, a play that is always attractive, if put upon the stage with credit. It will no doubt draw a full house.

ADDING A FIGURE.—Wonderful stories are related in the States of of this golden land of our's, and instead of diminishing by time and distance, everything is increased. We find in a Louisville paper the following announcement of a failure at Sacramento. There is at least one figure too much, the editor probably thinking that $1,100,000 was not much of a failure for California:

"The suspension of Barton Lee for the heavy sum of $11,000,000 has produced no little excitement, both at Sacramento city and at San Francisco."

OBSERVANCE OF THANKSGIVING.—We understand that six of the Religious Congregations worshipping in this city, will unite to-morrow in an appropriate observance of Thanksgiving, at the Baptist Church. Rev. Dr. Boring will preach at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. Other clergymen will participate in the exercises. Our citizens, generally, are invited to be present.

THE REPUBLIC.—This steamer leaves the wharf of O. Charlick, Esq., at three o'clock this afternoon. Passengers are requested to be on board early.

The Republic takes about 400 passengers, and $200,000 in gold dust

THE OREGON.—It will be recollected that the regular steamer of the Pacific Mail Company, will leave on Sunday next, for Panama. The Oregon is one of the best boats on this side, and carries a complement of the most accomplished and gentlemanly officers on the Pacific.

☞A gold mine has been discovered on the land of Dawson Law, of Morgan county, Ga., which promises to yield an abundance of the precious metal. Mr. L states that a man can easily make five dollars a day by digging. Particles, of the size of a pea, are found in abundance.

"OLD BLOCK."—We have on hand another of the communications from "Old Block," which we shall give on Monday next.

SACRAMENTO INTELLIGENCE.

A CITY PRISON—The Marshal of Sacramento, N. C. Cunningham, Esq., presented quite an interesting paper to the city Council on Monday evening, relative to a city prison The marshal states that ninety-seven arrests have been made by the city police for offences committed during the night within the period of four months: that the number of the police on duty at one time is but five, (and frequently reduced by sickness to three.) which necessarily gives each a very extensive beat, and it is sufficiently obvious that each arrest requires the officer making it to convey the prisoner to so great a distance as the prison ship, which weakens the force materially, and at times leaves large districts deprived of even the very small guard which our limited police force enables us to afford.

The difficulties encountered in detaining city prisoners in the county prison, from the fact that no arrangements have ever been entered into between the city and county authorities, remarks the marshal, place the city police in a very disagreeable position, and which has now reached a point which compels immediate action on the part of the council, as the present prison-keeper refused positively to receive any more prisoners until they shall have been duly committed, which of course cannot be done at night, the time when most of the arrests are made by the police.

In view of these facts, the marshal suggests for the consideration of the common council the propriety of establishing a suitable station-house, which shall be the headquarters of the night police. A house centrally located, and suitable for a "lock-up" he says, can doubtless be obtained.

We heartily coincide with the suggestion of the marshal for an immediate increase of the police force to twenty men. With this number, an efficient force of ten men can be kept constantly on duty day and night; that officer is of the opinion that although the expense incurred in this department will be considerably augmented, the greater efficiency of the police will amply compensate in the preservation of order; and that in a pecuniary point of view, the contributions to the city treasury, in the payment of fines, will be ample to cover the increase of expense.

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Coroner's Inquest.—A death occurred a day or two since about ten miles south of our city, with which there is a somewhat singular circumstance connected. The deceased's name was John Tilden. Some time previous to his death he had been complaining of a pain in his side. He was, however, found on Saturday, to all appearances, dead in his tent. The coroner was called, but the body was warm and the limbs flexible. A physician advised that it should be kept wrapped in blankets and watched. The body remained warm from Saturday, at two o'clock, P. M., till Tuesday morning, when it became cold, and the inquest was held.

Yesterday afternoon the coroner held another inquest upon the body of an American, who died in the same tent where two Kanakas had died with the cholera within three weeks. The man had been in the country some eighteen months, but his name could not be ascertained.

[Transcript.

Masonic.—The Grand Lodge of California commenced its deliberations in this city yesterday. We understand that there are some 12 lodges in the State, and that eleven of that number have representatives present, and a strong probability that the remaining lodge, "Star," will be represented before the close of the sittings. [Transcript.

☞We cut the following paragraph from a Philadelphia paper of the 3d of October:

Another Newspaper in California.—The materials for the establishment of another newspaper in San Francisco, were boxed up by Mr. Lewis Pelouze, yesterday. They were directed to Thomas G. Spear, in the great city of the Pacific, who is well known in this community. In the enclosure were a Ruggles machine job press and a double medium Washington press.

OREGON OYSTERS.—The schooner Two Brothers, Capt. Fieldsteen, from Oregon, with four hundred bushels of oysters, arrived in port on Wednesday, consigned to E. G. Hall.

STEAMER SUNK.—The fine steamer Fashion, of this port, was sunk near New York, about two o'clock yesterday morning, while on her way up the river.

☞An article in yesterday's News headed "Greenwood Valley," should have been credited to one of the Sacramento papers.

DEFINITE!—The *Courier* tells about a vessel that left the Mission of San Jose *last week*, at "1 A. M." What day did "1 A. M." come on?

ENTERPRISE.—The N. Y. Journal of Commerce says a reporter for the London Timesis in Cincinnati for the purpose of reporting the proceedings of the Ohio Agricultural Fair.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING.

The Democracy of Mormon Island and vicinity held a large and enthusiastic meeting at Caldwell's Island House, for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend the Democratic Convention to be holden at Sacramento city on the 30th inst.

Benj. Lyons, Esq., being called to the chair, stated the object of the meeting, and made some pertinent remarks in relation to the two great political parties, and in impressing upon the audience the necessity of the immediate action of the Democratic party.

Then proceeded the further organization of the meeting by selecting Wm. Miller, Esq., Secretary.

The meeting was then addressed by S. B. F. Clark, Esq., and others; when, on motion,

Resolve, That we elect five delegates to attend the Convention.

The following named persons were then duly elected delegates: Benj. Lyons, Samuel Hawkins, Dallas Kneass, S. B. F. Clark, Wm. Miller.

The meeting then adjourned.

JENNY LIND AND MOSE.—A few days ago, says the N. Y. Mirror, a Bowery b'hoy, the very personification of Mose, was addressed in an omnibus by an acquaintance, who referred to Jenny Lind's merits, and said that she was beyond doubt the greatest singer in the world. "I don't know about that," replied Mose. "Who is her equal?" asked the other. "Who! why, Mary Taylor; our Mary would sing her *clothes off her back!*"

☞ UNITARIAN WORSHIP.—A Thanksgiving sermon will be preached to the First Unitarian Society of San Francisco, on Sunday morning next, at 11 o'clock, by Rev. Charles A. Farley, at Simmons' Atheneum Hall. Entrance on Commercial and Sacramento sts. Subject—*The moral aspect of California.* nov 29

☞ NOTICE.—The gentleman who found a letter addressed to JAMES C. HACKETT, would much oblige Mr. H. by leaving the same at Berford & Co's. Express Office, corner of Clay and Kearny sts. n27 3

☞ IF THIS should meet the eye of Mrs. MONTROSE, late Miss ANNIE GARDNER, of 270 Gold street, Brooklyn, who left on the steamer Cherokee, Sept. 13th, from New York for California, she will confer a favor by sending her address to JAMES C. HACKETT, care of Berford & Co's Express, San Francisco.

DIED,

In this city, on the 27th inst., OLIVER M. MARCY, late of Buffalo, N. Y., of cholera, after a few hours illness.

Of consumption, at the camp of Dr. J. Darcy, on the Yuba river, Nov. 15th, JAS. FORMAN, of New Brunswick, N. J., aged 32 years.

At Rancherie, on the 19th inst., JOHN BROWN, of Audrain county, Mo.

☞ Deaths reported for the Pacific News by N. Gray, City Sexton, Sacramento st, Nov. 28th:

George Schneltz. Germany, 30, cholera.
Francis Menanda, Spain, 27, "
Rob. F. Boyd, Syracuse, N.Y, 32 "
Mary Scullen.
John Scullen.
Chas. Beckett, England, 36, shot.
Francis Crea.
Sam'l E. Allen, Mass, 29, diarrhœa.
Mr. Jansen.
Michael McMann, Ireland, 21, stabbed.
J. Preston, 35, suicide.
Pedro Gustin.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

CLEARED.

November 28.

Ship Henry Tuke, Bowen, Valparaiso.
Fr ship Vicompte Chateaubrian, Sou, Valparaiso.
Ship Herbert, Hallet, Calcutta.
Bark Casilda, Jones, Astoria.
Br bark Selina, Anderson, N S W.
Br schr Ospray, Grieggs, Hobart Town.

ARRIVED

Brem bark Bertha, Lawsen, 58 days from Valparaiso, to Whitehead & co.
Schr Two Brothers, Fieldston, 14 ds fm Shoalwater Bay, with oysters to master.

SPOKEN.

By the Two Brothers, on the 16th, Eng bark Romoles, bound for this port—had lost her main and mizen masts.

☞ EXPRESS TO NEW ORLEANS AND NEW YORK, per REPUBLIC and OREGON, in charge of special messengers. Having insurance policies in the Atlantic, Mutual and other offices, and having our own office in one of the best fire-proof buildings in California, we are enabled to furnish the best security to persons sending treasure by this line, and to whom no charges are made for depositing.

Drafts at sight on our Agents in New York, Messrs. Thompson & Hitchcock, corner of Wall and Pearl sts.

OFFICES.	AGENTS.
Sacramento City,	G. E. CLARK.
New York,	THOMPSON & HITCHCOCK.
Marysville,	M. & B. F. CHEESEMAN.
Portland, Oreg'n,	J. ELLIOTT.
Honolulu, S. I.,	MITCHELL & HUTCHINS.

A Submarine Armor, complete, for sale.

Mr. Thomas A. Ayers will please call at this office. JOSEPH W. GREGORY,
Propr'etor and Manager, 280 Montgomery street. n27

☞ NOTICE.—Ship W. H. HARBECK, from New York. Consignees are again notified that she commences to discharge at at Cunningham's Wharf, THIS DAY, and as dispatch is all-important, all goods on which freight is not paid, will have to be stored as soon as landed.

CHARLES MINTURN, Agent.
n27 6 Cunningham's Wharf.

☞ NOTICE.—The consignees per ship POWHATTAN, now lying at Cunningham's Wharf, are hereby notified that the time for discharging the cargo having expired, all goods not called for will be landed and stored at the expense of the owners, and sufficient amount sold to pay freight and expenses. n27 5td

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AMUSEMENTS.

ROBINSON & EVRARD'S

DRAMATIC MUSEUM.

California st. near the new Custom house.

This Evening, Nov. 29th, the performance will commence with the comedy of

FOLLIES OF A NIGHT!

Pierre Polliot, - - Mr Evrard.
Mademoiselle Duval, - Mrs. Mansfield.
Comic Song, - - By an Ameture.

After which

MY AUNT.

Dick Dashall, - - Dr. Robinson.

☞ Doors open at half past 6 o'clock, curtain rises at quarter past 7.

ADMISSION:

Private Box, (single ticket,) -	$3 00
Upper seats, - - - -	$2 00
Lower do - - - -	$1 00

JENNY LIND THEATRE.

On Thursday Evening, Nov. 29th, 1850,

LADY OF LYONS,

OR

Love and Pride.

Claude Melnot, - - Mr. Stark
Pauline, - - - Mrs. Kirby.

To conclude with the

BLACK EYED SUSAN.

Willian, { 1st appearand / this season. } A. W. Wright,

To-morrow, *Thanksgiving* night, *RICHARD III.*

Boxes $3; Parquette $2; Pit $1.
Doors open at 6 1-2, performances commence at 7.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

☞ DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The partnership heretofore existing between J. D. STEVENSON and WILLIAM C. PARKER, having terminated by its own limitation, the said Stevenson has purchased of the said Parker, all his right, title, and interest at law and equity, in and unto all the property of said firm, whether standing in their joint names, that of the said Parker, or any other person or persons whatsoever. The said J. D. Stevenson is alone authorized to settle and close up the business of said partnership.

J. D. STEVENSON,
W. C. PARKER.

San Francisco, Nov. 28, 1850 n29 3t

☞ THE SHIP NISIDA STUART, from New York, has commenced discharging.—Consignees will please call at the office of the undersigned, and receive orders for their goods. GILMOR MEREDITH.
n29 4t Sacramento and Leidesdorff sts.

☞ Consignees per Steamer GOLD HUNTER, are hereby notified that all freight by this vessel will be landed on Cunningham's Wharf This Day, and their attention to receipt of same is solicited.

CHARLES MINTURN, Agent.
nov20 Cunningham's Wharf.

☞ GRAND LODGE of the State of California. In consequence of the prevalence of an epidemic at Sacramento City, and upon the application of several Lodges under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge (in consequence thereof) for a postponement of the semi-annual meeting from the first to the fourth Tuesday in November, I have deemed it prudent and proper to direct the said semi-annual meeting to be adjourned accordingly. I therefore give notice that the Grand Lodge of the State of California will meet for the transaction of business at Sacramento City on the fourth Tuesday in November inst., at which time officers and members thereof, and the Delegates from the several Lodges under its jurisdiction, will assemble.

J. D. Stevenson,
Grand Master.

San Francisco, Nov. 1, 5850. n2

☞ NOTICE—Masters of vessels requring Pilots outward, or wishing to settle pilotage bills, will please call at the office corner of Montgomery and California streets opposite the Custom House, or at Charles Minturn's office of steamer Senators and New World, Clark's Point.

W. J. Burnside, } Agents.
o1 James Nelson. }

NOTICE—The subscriber will leave for the States per steamer Carolina, and has appointed Mr. I. C. Woods his Attorney during his temporary absence.

A & Co. are about making arrangements to establish their Express to and from New Orleans. [o11 2m] D. H. HASKELL.

☞ Health Commissioner's Office—Dr. John J. Thorp, Health Commissioner, Office in Iron Building, at the end of pier foot of Jackson street. o1 tf

☞ LAWS OF CALIFORNIA.—A few complete sets, bound and in board, of the Acts of the first Legislature of this State, may be obtained at the Pacific News office, at a reduced price if called for soon. o14 tf

☞ Fare Reduced for San Jose—From the Empire House—Messrs Ackley & Morrison, run a Daily Stage Coach, for the above place, at the reduced rate of $16 per single passenger. o1 tf

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. All persons having claims against the estate of Pedro Bianchi, deceased, are requested to present them to the undersigned within ten months from this date, in default of which they will be forever barred. Those indebted to said estate will make immediate payment.

Joseph Henriques.

Public Administrator of the County San Francisco.

Office in Commercial street, 2 doors above Simmons, Lilly & Co., up stairs.
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100 DOLLARS REWARD. - Stolen from the bark Koon, 3 cedar chests containing a great variety of dry goods, such as handkerchiefs, calicoes, red caps, also two doz. gold rings. Whoever will give information leading to the recovery of either thief or goods, shall receive the above reward.

n29 2t* A. Silver, Master.

BOAT FOUND.—Picked up on the night of 25th Nov., one flat bottom boat about 19 feet long with a centre board, painted lead color. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying charges, on application to Brig Geo. F. Williams, off India Buildings. n29 tf

ALL PERSONS are forbid trusting or harboring Henry Kriete, cook, and John Kanouse, boy, on account of the bark Sarah Sheafe, as there will be no debts of their contracting paid by the master or consignees.

Capt. Wm. A. Sands.

San Francisco, Nov. 28th, 1850. n29 1t*

AUCTION SALES.

On THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, an invoice of clothing, consisting of frock, dress, sack and overcoats, ass'd colors, pants, caps, &c.

Also, invoice of boots, shoes, brogans, &c.

Also, invoice India rubber goods, consisting of mattrass coverings, blankets, haversacks, leggings, ponchoes, canteens, &c.

Also, 3000 yards duck. n26

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of two several executions issued out of the District Court, 4th Judicial District, county of San Francisco, in the cases of R. S. Dorr and Macondray & Co. against Jesse B. Hart, I shall offer at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, on Wednesday, Dec. 18th, 1850, at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M. of said day, in front of the court house, the following described property, to wit:—situate in the city of San Francisco, and being a part of the 100 vara lot No. 50, and containing 22 feet front on Jackson street, by eighty feet back and a fraction in the rear thereof of fifty-seven and one half feet by sixty-six feet, the lot and fraction bounded on the west by an alley, on the south by lands owned by John B. R. Cooper, the fraction on the east by lands formerly owned by John Thompson; the front lot on the east by the lands formerly occupied by the Ohio House, on the north by Jackson street, and all lying and being south of Jackson street. Now, by virtue of said execution, I shall sell the interest of said Hart in said property on the day as aforesaid.

Jno. C. Hays, Sheriff.

San Francisco, Nov. 28th, 1850. n 29

PICKETT & CO., foot of Jackson street wharf, offer for sale at the lowest market prices, the following desirable goods per recent arrivals—

10,000 lbs ex dairy butter, packed in small kegs in brine
6000 lbs ex dairy cheese, packed in tins in wooden boxes
25,000 lbs light Manilla sugar, in 662-3 lb mats
50 bbls pickled salmon
300 boxes coffee, in 1 lb tins
400 do in 1 lb papers
5000 gals sugar house syrup in kegs and bbls
500 boxes raisins
50 bbls dried apples
40 bxs gunpowder tea in 2 lb caddies
20 bxs young hyson do do
50 kits Boston No. 1 mackerel
50 cases, 1 doz each, Stoughton bitters, in fancy bottles
20 cases, 3 doz each, pepper, &c. n28 2w

CLOTHING, Clothing.—The subscribers have now in store, as per recent arrivals from Baltimore, a full and complete assortment of heavy clothing consisting in part of

Norway and pilot cloth overcoats
Cloaking, silk and satin vests
Cassimere, cassinette, and cord pants
Buck gloves and mitts, suspenders, &c
Sheep's grey and pilot cloth monkey jackets.
Blue and red flannel shirts, and drawers
And a few bales of Sacramento and red blankets.

Country merchants and others will please call and examine.

Caughey & Bromley,
n28 4 Howison's Pier.

A FIRSTRATE Business stand For Sale: "OUR HOUSE" in Washington street.—It becoming necessary for one of the partners to leave the place, the above business, with the cooking utensils, furniture, fixtures, bedding, etc. together with the unexpired lease of the house, will be sold on the most favorable terms.

As the above is in a central location, having now a large number of boarders, it presents a rare chance for a safe investment. Inquire on the premises. n28 1w*

COPPER, Spelter Solder, etc. for Coppersmith, Tinmen and Roofers' use—Braziers' roofing, gutter and sheathing copper, sizes assorted for this market, 14 oz to 1-4 in. thick. Spelter solder, spelter, composition nails, and small lot wrought copper rivets, a new and handsome article. For sale in lots to suit purchasers, by

Chas. A. Gurley,
n28 2* No. 1 Gold, near Sansom st

EX WM. H. HARBECK—

50 boxes prime English, imitation, cheese
100 bbls Stewart's crushed sugar
50 do do powdered do
100 boxes sperm candles
50 do adamantine do
75 kegs ginger, 50 cases pickles
30 qr casks Burgundy port wine.

Just arrived and for sale by

Alexander P. Kinnan,
Washington, 6 doors below Montgomery streets. n28 3*

POTATOES.—See entire cargo of the brig Almira, from Lahaina, S.I. just received and for sale by

Pickett & Co,
n28 tf Foot of Jackson street.

500 Boxes, 200 lbs each, soap
100 bbls Oregon salmon
400 6-lb boxes Belmont sperm candles
400 hf bbls clear and mess pork
20 bbls cov'd hams
100 sacks Java coffee
Spanish chocolate
Crushed sugar vinegar
Manilla cordage, &c, in store and afloat.

Coghill & Arrington,
n26 4 Sansom st, south of Jackson.

LOST.—On Thursday afternoon, in State scrip, viz—

$500, date July 11th, 1850. No 51.
$100, date Nov. 8th, 1850. No. 361.
$50, date Sept. 9th, 1850. No. 122.

Payment of the above scrip has been stopped at the State Treasury. A suitable reward will be paid on delivery of the same at BERFORD & Co.'s Express Office, corner of Kearny and Clay sts n27

STORAGE—I am now ready to take in storage, all kinds of mdze. and lumber, at reasonable rates, on board the ship GANGES, laying at the foot of Pacific st. Inquire on board of Capt. W. RENTON,

Or to Thos. S. Barnstead,
Third door below Sansome st., in Jackson, north side. n27

SAVING to Storekeepers and Restaurants.—Green coffee sent into the Java House roasted and ground, packed and delivered.

McCormack & Co.
Tea Dealers and Coffee Roasters,
n11 244 Montgomery st

R. F. RYAN,
AVOCAT ET AVOUE,
S'occupe aussi de la vente de terrains, etc. Prepare toute espece de documens, et les traduira au besoin, en Francaise, Espanole, Italienne, Portuguese, et Allemande. n26

LAMP OIL, Lamp Oil—For sale by the subscribers in lots to suit purchasers. The cargo of ship Envoy, being the handsomest lot of Polar oil ever brought into the market.

Jno. T. Little & Pope.
n11 tf Washington street

FOR SALE.—Just received, per ship Nisidia Stewart, from New York,

Scarlet twilled flannels, best India drills,
3-ply Brussels and tapestry carpetings,
White and colored blankets
Flannel clothing, cloth clothing,
Paper hangings, boots and brogans, rice.
Gallego and Hanalt flour, corn meal,
Water crackers, hominy, sausages hf bbls
Pork in whole and half barrels,
Tongues in hf bbls, smoked beef in bbls
Ham, bacon and shoulders in boxes,
Pickled hams in tcs, lard, cheese,
Butter in kegs of 15 lbs, oysters
Scollops, clams, mess shad in hf bbls
Mess mackerel in hf and qr bbls
Herrings, Molasses in kegs
Loaf sugar hf boxes crushed do hf bbls
Candles assorted, currants in hf bbls
Lime juice, sardines, pecan nuts, raisins,
Adamantine candles, sperm do. cigars
Tobacco, pickles, Vinegar, brandy
Dublin porter, E. I pale ale,
Champagne cider, Phila. stout and ale
Madeira, sherry and port wine,
Champague, tumblers, brooms,
Furniture, matches, sole leather,
Tin plate sheathing, nails, linseed oil
Manilla rope, &c., White lead, pepper
Rio coffee, London mustard, cassia
Table salt, bay do, sweet chocolate.

Gilmor Meredith,
n25tf cor. Sacramento and Leidesdorf sts.

LOTS FOR SALE.—16x50 vara lots at the Mission Dolores. These lots are beautifully situated at the Mission, as the great thoroughfare from San Francisco to the Pueblo of San Jose runs through them. To any person desirous of a splendid bargain, here is a chance. Said lots are adapted for either building, grazing, or farming. Being so near the market of this city, and first rate soil. To any person wishing to plant either grain or vegetables, which occupation is more certain than gold digging, a fortune could soon be realized. For further particulars, enquire of

Norman Assing,
Proprietor of the Macao & Woosung Restaurant, opposite City Hotel, cor. Kearny and Commercial sts.
San Francisco, Nov. 23. n23 tf

RECEIVED PER STEAMER, and for sale, a choice collection of GARDEN SEEDS, in tins, hermetically sealed. Orders received up to the 10th of December for the finest kinds of FORREST TREES, such as Peach, Pear, Plum, Apricot, Apple, Gooseberry and Currant Bushes, deliverable here by the 15th of March, and guaranteed to be in good order for planting, or no sale. All kinds of Horticultural Implements, Flower and Garden Seeds, &c.

J. S. Woodville,
Gardener of the Agricultural and Horticultural Gardens, London, and late of New York. Office, Sansome st., corner of Jackson. n26 1w*

FOR SALE.—Just received per ship Caroline Reed—

300 qr bbls N. Y. city packed clear pork.
50 hf do do do do
5 do well dried smoked beef,
5 casks premium dairy cheese,
Goshen butter in stone jars,
150 dozen corn brooms,
26 dozen axe handles.

Also, an invoice of wooden ware, consisting of nests of flour cans, wood and cocoa dippers, L. V. Faucets, &c.

Earl, Mackintosh & Co.,
Foot of Sacramento street Wharf, opposite Long Wharf n26 1wis

SPERM OIL, GROCERIS, &c. now landing and for sale, the following desirable articles:

600 galls spring bleached sperm oil
97 boxes chemical olive soap
20 do family washing do
300 tins Mrs Miller's tobacco
50 do fresh buckwheat meal
2000 lbs pure ground coffee, in 1 lb tins
250 do nutmegs, in small packages
50 boxes allspice, cinnamon, cloves, &c
60 half and quarter boxes No 1 mackerel

A general assortment of family groceries always on hand, for sale by

Reynolds & Co.,
Kearny street, between Washington and Jackson sts. n23 6t

FISK'S METALLIC BURIAL CASES.—This article is entirely superseding the use of lead or mahogany coffins in the Atlantic States, and as a means of preserving the body for a long time without decomposition is highly recommended by some of the most eminent chemists and physicians of New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Washington. Samples can be seen at Messrs. N. Gray & Co.'s and J. D. Quirk & Co., undertakers, Sacramento street. A personal inspection is all that is necessary to satisfy the most sceptical of their utility. For further particulars enquire of

Bragg & Whittemore,
n25 1m Sole agents for California.

TO LITHOGRAPHERS—An excellent opportunity is offered to purchase a complete sett of Lithographer's implements, consisting of a large press, highly finished stones of various sizes; paper, ink of different colors; sand, rollers, and every other article necessary to the artizans wants. The articles can be seen at Palmer & Co.'s Express Office, on Washington street, opposite the National Hotel. The whole invoice will be sold low for cash. Apply as above to [n23] B. W. PALMER.

FOR SALE—LAMPS, CHANDELIERS, &c.—Just arrived per Powhattan, from Baltimore, and may be seen at the store of the undersigned, consisting of solar chandeliers, patent suspension lamps, side lamps, stand lamps, domes painted, and frames, wicks, globes and cones, four show cases, and Italian marble slabs.

Also, a variety of elegant Furniture, Feather Beds and Pillows, Blankets, Brogans, Lard, Dried Peaches, Boyd's Porter, Ale and Champagne Cider, Saleratus, Sourkrout, Brandy Fruits, Pickles in cases, brandy and Port wine in cases, Nails.

An invoice of Druggs, &c, Apply to

F. Codman,
California sreet, four doors below Kearny. n26 3t

W. H. BEEBE & CO'S HAT.—These long-expected Hats are at length in store. Gentlemen wishing a "Genuine Beebe," will please call early, at *EVERETT'S HAT EMPORIUM,*
n27 3is Commercial st, near Kearny.

FOR SALE—The entire cargo of the schr Mary W., just arrived from Lahaina, S. I., consisting of Potatoes, onions, syrup, &c. &c., by

Pickett & Co.,
n23 tf foot of Jackson street wharf.

100 DOLLARS REWARD.—Any person giving such information as will bring to justice the individuals who committed the depredations on board brig James Caskie, on Friday night, Oct. 25, shall receive the above reward. n2 tf

POTATOES—The cargo of I. B. Gager, just arrived from New Zealand, for sale by

Pickett & Co.,
n19 tf foot of Sackson street wharf.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.—The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamer OREGON, Lieut. C. Patterson, Commander, will leave for PANAMA, touching at the usual ports, on Sunday, Dec 1. 1850, at 4 P.M. Treasure for shipment received at the company's office, corner of Leidesdorff and Sacramento streets, on Friday, 29th, and Saturday, 30th inst. Passengers to be on board at noon of the day of departure.

The Oregon will connect with the U. S. Mail steamer Cherokee or Empire City, to leave Chagres for New York, via Kingston, as well as with the U. S. Mail steamer Philadelphia, to leave Chagres for New Orleans on arrival of passengers and treasure.

Passage to Panama, in the saloon, $275
" " lower cabin, 250
" " steerage,..... 125

For passage, apply to

Gilmor Meredith, Agent,
n25 cor. Leidesdorff and Sacramento sts.

FARE REDUCED.

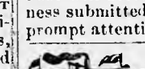
LAW'S LINE PACIFIC STEAMERS. For PANAMA. The splendid steamship REPUBLIC, Capt. Hudson, will leave San Francisco for PANAMA, on FRIDAY, the 29th of November, connecting with the steamer GEORGIA, which leaves CHAGRES on the 25th December, the days of sailing having been changed, passengers taking the REPUBLIC will be in New York two days earlier than those taking any other line from Chagres.

Gold Dust taken and insured. Through tickets to New York and New Orleans may now be secured by application to

Oliver Charlick,
n14 office, on Jackson st, below Sansome.

FOR SANTA CLARA AND SAN JOSE.—The new Steamer NEW STAR, Capt. E. Sampson, jr., will leave Commercial Wharf on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, for the above places, stopping at Alviso, where stages will be in readiness to convey passengers to the above places immediately on the arrival of the boat. This Steamer will commence on Friday next, leaving regularly at 9 o'clock, A. M. For freight or passage apply on board till futher notice.

N. B. A regular package express for San Jose will accompany this line, and all business submitted to their charge will receive prompt attention. nov19 tf



PEOPLE'S LINE FOR SACRAMENTO CITY—Every afternoon, from Cunningham's Wharf, at 4 o'clock, P. M., the well known fast sailing Steamers NEW WORLD and SENATOR, will leave as follows:

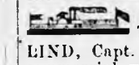
NEW WORLD, Captain Wakeman, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY; returning from Sacramento city, every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 2 P. M.

SENATOR, Capt. John Van Pelt, every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY; returning from Sacramento city, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY at 2 P.M.

Freight or passengers taken at the lowest rates. Tickets can be had, and all information can be obtained by applying to the clerks on board, or to

Charles Minturn, Agent,
On Cunningham's Wharf.

N. B. All persons are hereby notified that Messrs. Hawley & Co., are the only authorized Express on these boats, and all packages of value or gold dust left with the clerks, are at the risk of the parties leaving them, or of the parties to whom they belong. And any person sending letters or other Express matter, they will be charged $50 per package. n18



FOR SACRAMENTO CITY. The fine new steamer JENNY LIND, Capt. P. E. Le Fevre, will leave commercial wharf, Clark's Point, for Sacramento City, every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 4 o'clock, P. M. For freight or passage apply on board, or to

Fred'k P. Green, Agent,
Sansome st., between Jackson and Washington. n9 tf

OHIO HOTEL—Situated east side of Dupont street, between Valejo and Green streets, being one of the most healthy and pleasant locations in this city, and commanding a view of both bays and nearly the whole city, (with two houses in rear if required) will be let from 1st of next month, on reasonable terms. To any party wishing to establish permanently, and who understands the business thoroughly, a good chance will be offered. There is at present 35 boarders, and the house is, in part, furnished. A good well and plenty of water attached to the premises. The owner will take half interest in the business if a suitable arrangement can be made.

Apply to H. O'DONNELL,
Real Estate broker, Pacific st., opposite the Court house.

Houses and lots for sale or rent in different parts of the city. nov19

MANILLA PRODUCE—Just received per bark Wm. H. Shailer, and for sale by the subscribers—

2000 piculs sugar,
200 M No. 1 cigars,
200 M. Manilla cheroots,
400 coils steam made cordage,
6 coils hawsers,
25 whale line,
17 bags pepper
1 bag cloves,
40 boxes preserves
10 boxes chocolate,
30 dozen lamb's wool shirts,
50 bales brown drills
5 bales sheetings,
1 bale grass cloth.

Everett & Co.,
n25 1w Howison's Pier.

LOANS—Cash advanced on bond and mortgage sales; purchases and exchanges of real estate effected; city scrip and State scrip bought and sold, or loans made thereon, the highest price being paid for either; approved commercial bills cashed at the lowest rate; temporary advances made on every kind of convertible security; gold dust bought; rents and notes collected and all kinds of monetary operations effected with promptitude and dispatch.

F. Marriot & Co.,
Loan, Land and Money Agents, 276 Montgomery street, Bolton & Barron's Fireproof store. nov20 tf

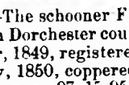
TEN HOUSES and Lots for sale, situated on Margaret street, between Vallejo and Green streets, and Kearney and Dupont streets. Lots, 16 by 40; Houses, 14 by 28, 1 1-2 stories high. The above for sale at lowest terms for one-half cash, and half in 90 days.

H. O'DONNELL, Broker,
nov19 Pacific street.

PARSONS & DEANE,
GENERAL SHIPPING OFFICE,
Clark's Point

Shipping and Commission business attended to with dispatch. Passengers for any port on the Pacific or the Islands will do well to call and satisfy themselves of the facilities offered.

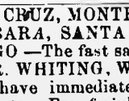
W. F. PARSONS. E. S. DEANE.
nov21 tf



FOR SALE.—The schooner FALMOUTH, built in Dorchester county, Maryland, in December, 1849, registered in Baltimore in February, 1850, coppered in February, 1850. Tonnage, 97 15-95ths; length 76 feet 6 inches; breadth 22 feet 11 inches.

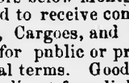
For further particulars apply to

F. Codman,
California st., four doors between Kearney. n26 3t

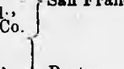


STORE SHIPS WANTED—Two Store Ships, large size, wanted.—Any person having them for sale may find a purchaser on application to

Oliver Charlick,
n26tf Jackson st., below Sansome.



FOR NEW YORK, via SANDWICH ISLANDS.—The clipper brig JOSEPH BUTLER, Peleg Ray master, will have immediate dispatch for the above named ports. Freight taken on reasonable terms. Apply to ALANSON SWAIN, California st., 3 doors below Montgomery, n25 11t



FOR SANTA CRUZ, MONTERY, SANTA BARBARA, SANTA PEDRO and SAN DIEGO—The fast sailing clipper schr JAMES R. WHITING, W. W. Baker, master, will have immediate dispatch for the above ports. For freight or passage, apply to

Woodworth & Morris,
n23 6t Clay street wharf.

COPARTNERSHIP—AUCTION and COMMISSION MERCHANTS. The subscribers having formed a copartnership under the style of KETTELLE, MAHONY & Co., for the purpose of transacting a general Auction and Commission Business, and having taken the spacious sales room on Washington, a few doors below Montgomery street, are prepared to receive consignments of Real Estate, Cargoes, and Merchandize in general for public or private sale, on the most liberal terms. Goods can be received into store, direct from lighters. We are prepared to make liberal advancements upon consignments. A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited, and satisfaction warranted.

William G. Kettelle,
Frank S. Mahony.

We are at liberty to refer to

Samuel Brannan, Esq., } San Francisco.
Messrs Howard & Green, }
Albert Wardwell, Esq., }
Mess. Geo. N. Shaw & Co. }
Elisha Atkins, Esq., } Boston
John J. Mahony, Esq., }
John L. Emmons, Esq., }
Mess. Mahony & Kenna, }

Kettelle, Mahony & Co.,
San Francisco, Oct. 25, 1850. o26 1mis

THE CENTRAL HOUSE.—Messrs. H. A. Mansfield & Co. beg leave to announce to their friends and the public generally, that they have leased and thoroughly repaired, refitted and remodelled this house, and will open the same this day (Monday, Nov. 25th,) and will be happy to receive all who may favor them with a call.

Mr. Mansfield takes this opportunity to return his sincere thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on him while at the National Hotel, and hopes by strict attention to business and long experience in catering for the public, to merit and receive a continuance of their favor.

The Central House, as its name indicates, is centrally located on Washington street, between Kearny and Montgomery, and offers many inducements to persons visiting the city on business or pleasure

The table will be supplied at all times with the best the market affords, and the Bar is furnished with the choicest Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

No exertions will be spared to render this house unsurpassed by any in the city.

H. A. Mansfield & Co.
San Francisco, Nov. 25, 1850. n25 1w

AT A PROBATE COURT held at the City Hall, in the city of San Francisco, on the 21st day of November, 1850; Present, Hon R. N. Morrison, Probate Judge:

In the matter of the estate of David Thomas, deceased;

Ordered, that December 2d, 1850, at 11 A.M, be appointed for hearing the application of H. W. Carpentier and Henry Gibbons, praying for Probate of the last will of David Thomas, deceased.

n27 3 J. E. Addison, Clerk.

GUADALUPE MINING COMPANY.—A few shares may be had on advantageous terms in this flourishing company, by applying before the 25th inst., at the office of Weller & Jones, Pacific street, opposite City Hall. The company will commence extracting mercury with a new and much improved apparatus, in the course of a month; and the yield and quality of ore is such as to make this one of the safest and most profitable investments. Warranty deeds given. Terms cash. nov20

NOTICE to Shipmasters and Owners.—We, the undersigned, shipwrights of San Francisco, have completed our arrangements for heaving out vessels of any size, that may need overhauling from keel to light water. Mr. Thompson, a master rigger, may be found on board the ship Pico, south side Rincon Point, at all times, who will give immediate attention to orders left with him, or orders left at Hawley Sterling & Co's, foot of Sacramento street, will be attended to.

n7 1m* Hudson, Smith & Lester

FOR SALE—From ship Powhattan, just arrived, lying at Cunningham's wharf,

407 tons Cumberland coal,
16 " best anthracite coal in casks,
314 small bales best timothy hay, weighing from 50 to 60 lbs. each.

Apply to the office of

F. Argenti & Co.,
In Montgomery street, between Clay and Commercial. nov20 tf

WARRANTED TO CURE, or money refunded! Crooker's celebrated Cholera, Dysentery, and Diarrhœa Syrup. This celebrated and unrivalled Medicine is of immediate efficacy in the most violent and obstinate cases of Cholera Morbus, Spasmodic Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, looseness of the bowels, gripings, and all other irregularities of the intestines. For sale by J. Cowell & Co. corner of Jackson and Sansome sts n4 1mis

R. F. RYAN,
ABOGADO, JURISCONSULTO Y PROCURADOR,
Calle de Kearny, al lado del oeste, tercera casa de la esquina de la calle Pacific.
Corredor y Agente para la venta de Terrenos & ca. Se extienden documentos de toda clase, y traducciones de los idiomas Frances, Espanol, Italiano, Portugues y Aleman. n25

PICKED UP ADRIFT—The schr. CHESAPEAKE. The owner or owners of said vessel are requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away, otherwise she will be disposed of according to law. Apply to

Wm. Benton,
On board brig Ganges, foot of Pacific st. nov21

NOISY CARRIER'S Business

Directory—Owing to the changes continually going on, and to keep people generally posted up with each other's whereabouts, the subscriber has made arrrangements with the Proprietors of this Paper to occupy part of a column daily as a Directory, giving names, business, and location. The terms of which will be,

One line, first insertion - - - 25 cts.
Each subsequent do - - - 12 1-2 "

Bankers—Office hours from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

King, James of William, banker, cor Commercial and Montgomery sts.
Wells & Co. Bankers, cor Clay and Mont;

Brokers and Commission Merchants.

Badger, Wm. G., wholesale clothing and com mcht, traders, &c, Sansome st, betw Washington and Jackson streets.
Bunster & Sproston, translators, custom house and ship brokers, California street, at De Boom, V, G & co
Cazneau, Thomas N., insurance broker and Notary, Montgomery, corner Clay street.
Coghill & Arrington, cor Jack'n & Sansome
Cooke Brothers & Co., commission merchants, brick store California st.
Dickson, Dewolf & Co, com. merchants, Merchants Exchange, c Wash. and Mont.
Marriott, F. & Co., loan. land, scrip, mining and moneyagents, Montgomery st.
McElwain, J., mdz broker, foot Clay st.
Parsons, C. com. merch't, San'e near B'way
Ross, Daniel L., c Wash. and Mont., commission merchant; dry goods, clothing, boots, and shoes, groceries, &c, on consignment.
Titcomb, John H. commission merchant, Washington, below Montgomery.

Books and Stationery.

Bonesteel & Williston, books and stationery, post office piazza.

Hotels and Restaurants.

Delmonico's, Mont, bet Wash and Clay sts;
Parker, W. W. foot of arch wharf.
Revere House, J. W. Hammond, Montgomery, between Clay and Commercial.
Smith, J, Columbia House, Battery street.
Wilbur & Corry. Refreshment Saloon, Gothic Hall, cor Jackson and Montgomery
Western Hotel, Dederer & Valentine, Broadway, bet Sansome and Battery.

Importers, Traders and General Dealers.

Austin, Henry, dealer in stoves and tin ware, 246 Montgomery street.
Chapin & Sawyer, hardware, leather, &c., Washington, below Montgomeryt street.
Cordes, Steffens & Co, Clay st, cor Montg'y.
Cooper & co, dry goods, Kny, b W and Jack.
Dornin & Beers Grocers, Cunningham's w'f
Eagan, J. S. dealer in paints, oils and window glass, Montgomery, near Sansome st.
Ferguson, Reynolds & Co, grocers and dealers in produce, No 4 Central Wharf.
Franklin, Selim & E., Importers of Wines cigars and merchandize, Washington st.
Field, S C, grocer, head Kearny street.
Ladd, A. T., coal dealer, Sansome st, between California and Pine.
Loud, Hosmer & Co., wholesale and retail liquor dealers, Jackson, bet Mont and San.
MacLea, R. ship chandlery store, central whf. and MacLea & Co., Jackson st.
Mahony & Finley, Butchers, Fulton Market, Kearny st
Morgan, I. A. & Co., Battery, c Vallejo.
Smiley, Korn & Co. hardware dealers, Washington st, bet Mont and Kearney.
Snook, G. & W, Dealers in Stoves, Tin and Sheet Iron Ware, K'ny, b Jack and Wash
Wheeler & Drake, wholesale grocers and provision merch., California st, bt Montgomery and Sansome sts.

Legal.

Eddy & Byrne, attorneys at law, notary public, averages adjusted, money loaned; Clay st, N side, 2 doors above Montgomery.
Howard, J. P., counsellor and notary, Wells' building, corner Clay and Montgomery sts.
Pratt & Cole, Att'ys, cor Mont and Jack sts.

Mechanical.

Baldwin, B., bookbinder, Pacific near Mont.
Buckley & Morse, blacksmiths, foot Clay st.
Dinkelspiel L. mch't tailor, Mont. st, removed to 3d door south of James King of Wm.
Gale & Standish, Fancy Pie and Cake Bakery and Confectioners, c Cal and Spring.
Hayes & Bailey, jewellers, Clay st.
Kinsman, Franklin, builder, California Exchange.
Loring & Hogg, watchmakers and jewellers Commercial, near Montgomery street.
Pierce, Cha's, builder, California Exchange.
Tarbox & Robb, carpenters, Commercial st.
Tennent, Thos., mathematical instrument maker, Commercial below Montgomery.

Medical.

Bigelow, Dr., over Garnies & co's, auction store, Washington st, below Montgomery
Cogswell, H. D., dentist, Commercial street.
Forbes, Dr, not in practice, storeship Noble, Buckelew's wharf, from 11 to 4.
Gerry, Dr, in Bolton & Barrou's building.
Hinckley, Geo. E, Druggist, Garden seeds, wholesale and retai, Kearny b Sac and Cal
Jacobson, Dr. F. M., commercial hotel.
Levett, David, surgeon dentist, Com st.
Parker, Dr., at Hinckley's drug store, Kearny b Cal and Sac sts.
Pierce, W Allen, M D, Physician and Surgeon, California st, near Montgomery.
Stackpole, J. S., M. D., Sacramento House, corner Broadway and Battery st.
Stewart & Hodge, Druggists, Clark's Point, foot of Broadway.
Story, Charles R. wholesale and retail druggist, Merchants' Exchange Building.
West, Dr. Benj., Meiggs' building opposite Delmonico's, Montgomery street.

Miscellaneous.

Candidate for Alderman, P A Brinsmade.
Custom House, James Collier, corner Montgomery and California streets.
Harbor Master, G. Simpton, Cunningham's wharf.
Kimball, Charles P., (N. C.) Pacific News Office, house c of Mason and Jackson.
Merchants Exchange, c Mont. and Wash.—'Change Hours from 2 to 3 P. M.
Pacific News Office, Montgomery street, between Washington and Jackson.
Picayune Office, c Wash. and Montgomery.
Post Office, J. B. Moore, P. M. corner Dupont and Clay st.
Restaurant for sale on Central Wharf. Apply to Chas. P. Kimball.
Two lots for sale, near the corner of Union and Hyde sts. CHAS. P. KIMBALL.
The name and address can be left with the subscriber, or at the Pacific News Office.
Chas. P. Kimball.

HOME! SWEET HOME!!—F. COOMBS, Artist, in Daguerreotype Skylight Gallery, corner Clay and Montgomery streets, begs to inform those who may wish a perfectly finished picture to send Home! an early application is indispensable, although having three talented assistants—the young lady a splendid artist—yet he cannot always supply the demand, so great is the rush previous to the sailing of the steamers. Superb cases, &c., just received. Invoices, plates and cases bought and sold. n11 1mis

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PROSPECTUS
OF THE
SAN DIEGO HERALD.

"There the large olive rains its amber store
In marble fonts; there grain, and flower, and fruit,
Gush from the earth until the land runs o'er." [*Byron.*

The undersigned beg leave to announce to the public of California generally, and to the English-speaking population of Southern California in particular, that they intend to publish a newspaper at San Diego, under the above title, the first number of which will be issued about the first of January, proximo.

Terms of subscription, $12 per annum. In politics, the San Diego Herald will be *independent*, but not neutral; it will be the organ and engine of no party,—but the impartial advocate of such measures as shall seem best calculated to promote the general welfare of the State, and advance the local interests and property of Southern California, or more immediately of the District of San Diego.

Its design, however, will by no means be to engender any sectional jealousies, or to encourage any measures at variance with the unity and harmony of the State. Its paramount object will be to describe the localities and unfold the resources of "the sunny and luxuriant regions of the South"—to watch over their social and administrative interests,—and to promote their welfare by every legitimate means and influence which the press can employ.

To the American residents in Southern California, the publishers will look for their principal support; and considering the expense of the undertaking and its immediate importance to the local interests of San Diego, is is hoped that the publication will meet with liberal encouragement. Among the inhabitants, however, of the Northern districts, the *San Diego Herald* will expect to have many readers desirous to obtain authentic information and periodical intelligence from the South.

J. Judson Ames & Co.

San Diego, Nov. 16th, 1850.

To the Editor of the Daily Pacific News—

Sir: You will confer a great favor by giving the within a few insertions in your valuable sheet, for the benefit of your readers and the community at large, that tney may be satisfied with the affair that occurred a few months ago, concerning the elopement of my daughter from her husband, Isaac Graham. The reward offered for Jesse J. Graham, you will please insert for six months, and oblige

Very respectfully, yours, &c.,
MARY BENNETT.

September 27th, 1850.

Mrs. Mary Bennett—

Dear Mother: I presume that you are very much surprised at my sudden departure. I was very sorry to leave without telling you I was going, but I knew that you and my brothers and sister would not let me come away: and I was so tired of being beat and having bowie knives drawn over me, (for twice that old brute Graham drew his bowie knife across my throat till the blood ran down my breast, and I expected every day he would kill me,) and finding it impossible to please the old tyrant, I believed that my only chance was to leave him or be murdered by his hand. So I thought it would be better for me to go to a foreign country, where I would not be troubled with him any more. I see by the *Daily Pacific News* of the 16th of May, that I have been accused of having a lover with me, which you and the citizens of Santa Cruz pronounce to be false, and which is absolutely false. I did not nor never will degrade myself so far as that: and I see by the same paper that you and my brothers and sister have been cruelly treated on account of my departure, of which you all are innocent. I left without the assistance or knowledge of any of you. I would not take so much trouble to tell of your innocence, but I wish you to show this, my handwriting, to all the people, wherein I state that, let who will say that either my mother, brothers or sister assisted me to get away, or knew anything about it, they tell a positive lie, and the truth is not in them. The paper did not state what had happened exactly; it said Mary Ann had been honorably acquitted of being accessory to my flight, and that Jackson offered two thousand dollars, and the county of Santa Cruz one thousand dollars for Jesse Graham. I am very sorry to see that my child was brought as a witness against my innocent sister, which Graham himself was the murderer. I say he murdered it, because it was abuse that I received from him. His hands was its death. Instead of my living with a lover, I am living in a worthy man's family, after a voyage of four months I have suffered very much from sickness, and my children have both had some sickness, and are not in very good health now, but they are about. I am miserable since I heard that news. I wish I had stayed and been murdered by his hands; it would have been better for me to die than to live and know that my dear people had suffered so wrongfully; perhaps suffered death on account of my departure As I said before, I am living in a worthy Englishman's family, but I shall never be happy again in this world. I hope these few lines I have traced by candlelighht may find you alive and well, but I am afraid they will not. If we meet no more in this world, I hope we may meet in Heaven above. May God be with you all; my children are baptised, and I shall be soon; give my love to all my friends, my dear brothers and sisters, while I remain your ever affectionate daughter, Catherine Graham.

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Among the passengers who arrived at New York lately, in the steamship Atlantic, are a son and daughter of General Lafayette, who assisted us in our revolutionery struggle. Mr. E. D. Lafayette is the son. The name of the daughter is Madame De Lestrie. Her husband is with her

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PROCLAMATION!!!

The Governor of the State of California, to all to whom these presents may come: Greeting:

In compliance with the long established and appropriate custom of our fathers, as well as in accordance with his own feelings, the undersigned, Governor of the State of California, hereby recommends that Saturday, the thirtieth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty, be set apart and observed by the people of California, as a day of solemn thanksgiving to the Supreme Ruler of the Universe, for the unnumbered blessings bestowed by Him upon our young State and people; and especially for our admission into the happy family of States.

Given under my hand, at the Pueblo de San Jose, the fourth day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fiftv, and of the Independence of the United States, the seventy-fifth.

PETER H. BURNETT

GENERAL LAND AGENCY,
San Francisco, California.

JOHN Y. BRYANT. ANDREW J. MOULDER,
Attorney at Law.

Office at Cronise Bro's & Co., corner of Jackson and Montgomery streets.

JOHN Y. BRYANT, for the last fourteen years engaged in the General Land Office at Washington City, in the adjudication of pre-emption and every other description of land claims, has associated with him in the transaction of a General Land Agency Business, A. J. MOULDER, Esq., of Va. Long experience and an intimate knowledge of the laws of Congress relative to the varied provisions made for the disposal of the public domain, together with a familiarity with official forms and precedents in the Department at Washington, and a prolonged acquaintance with the Executive officers, present inducements to those interested in landed property in California seldom offered.

Ample arrangements having been consummated at Washington, we feel justified in guarantying prompt and intelligent attention to all business confided to the care of this agency. Address, (postage paid)

Bryant & Moulder,
San Francisco.

REFERENCE IS MADE TO THE

Hon. William M. Gwin, U. S. Senate,
Hon. Jas. Whitcomb, " "
Hon. Jas. Shields, " "
Hon. R. M. Young, Clerk Ho. of Rep. U.S. } *former Commissioners Gen. Land Office.*
Hon. Justin Butterfield, *present Commissioner.*
Hon. John Wethered,
Col. John C. Hays,
Hon. John W Geary,
J. Winchester, Esq., } *San Francisco.*
Judge Shattuck.
Bissell & Bancroft.
Edward Howison, Esq. } *Stockton.*
Prettyman, Barrol & Co., *Sacramento.*

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SACRAMENTO HOUSE, Broadway

IS NOW OPEN for the reception of the Public.

This House is the largest, and its rooms better ventilated than any other establishment in San Francisco. The Dining Room is 60 by 25 feet. The sleeping apartments are well supplied with every thing necessary for comfort. There are forty rooms containing but one bedstead, furniture, &c Adjoining which, is attached a Drawing Room, with private entrance on Broadway. The location is commanding, being only a few steps from the departure and landing of the steamers plying on the Sacramento river, and stopping at Benicia, Sacramento City, and all the principal towns and landings adjacent to the gold mines.

Passengers landing from ships, and directing the boat to land them at this House, will save a long walk and porterage. Steps are provided in the rear of the House for boats to land passengers, baggage, &c.

The Table, Bar, &c., is unsurpassed.

Jeffreys & Co.,

N. B. The House can be seen from any part of the Bay, it being the most prominent, commanding a full view of all the arrivals of steamers, shipping, &c. o22 1m

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COUNTY AUDITORS are hereby required to comply immediately with the following section of an "Act prescribing the mode of assessing and collecting the public revenue."

"Sec. 35. He (the Auditor) shall make out and cause to be transmitted by mail or otherwise, to the Comptroller of State, on or before the first day of November of each year, a complete abstract of the property listed in his county, the valuation thereof, the number of polls, the amount of each kind of tax, and the aggregate thereof in the county, and certify the same, as also the rate of each kind of tax assessed."

Jno. S. Houston,
Comptroller of State.

Comptroller's Office,
San Jose, Nov. 20, 1850. n226t

☞ The Alta California, Journal Stockton, and Transcript, Sacramento City, will publish the above 6 times.

CARD—GARNISS & CO., Auctioneers, beg leave to inform their friends and the public, that they have moved into their new and spacious Sales Rooms, in the Iron Building corner of Washington st. and Jones' lane, between Montgomery and Sansome sts, where they are prepared to transact the AUCTION and COMMISSION BUSINESS, on the most favorable terms. The arrangement of their rooms are such as to afford great facilities in the disposition of goods—the same being of a sufficient capacity to contain a cargo, which can be received from a canal in the rear. They solicit a share of the public patronage.

o9 1m Garniss & Co.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Three large and three small houses, on California street, and on Broadway, well furnished, one of them in the most splendid style. Apply to

W. Schleiden,

Ship and Customhouse Broker, from half past 9 to half past 3 o'clock, at his office, opposite the Customhouse; at any other time, at his residence on Broadway, between Dupont and Stockton sts n2

FIRE APPARATUS For Sale—A first class forcing suction engine and hose carriage, with all appurtenances, and 625 feet new riveted hose. The whole in complete order, and now ready for immediate use. Winter & Latimer,

Next door to Cross, Hobson & co, sansome street. o1

FOR SALE—TO PRINTERS—Two Washington Presses, at W. W. Dunn's Printing Press Manufactory, corner of Ohio and Pacific streets, or address

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LOOK AT THIS, EMIGRANTS AND OTHERS!

300 FAMILIES WANTED, WHO wish Homes. Having completed my survey in the southern part of the city of San Jose, in all 900 lots, 25 by 47 1-2 varas, and being desirous to have improvements go on rapidly, I propose to give 300 lots to settlers who will build a neat, suitable house on each lot, and fence the same.

I have also over 100 lots, 50 varas square, in the Old Survey of the city, which I will sell low, and give time on part. The lots I own in the Old and New surveys of the city are decidedly the best locations for buildings, being high and dry, and never subject to overflow; with the very best mountain water, obtained at the depth of 12 to 14 feet.

I think lumber shippers would do well to call and take a look at my lots. I will give them lots to build houses on, or will exchange lots for lumber of all kinds, or houses.

The Valley.—We have a greater number of acres equal to the best Illinois land, than can be seen in any other north or east of us, in California; and the grain growing portions of the world, so far as I am acquainted, cannot equal us in producing wheat, both in quality and quantity: 60 bushels have been raised to the acre, and there can be seen now in the fields and gardens of our farmers, as fine crops as a majority of the States can produce at and vegetables of all kinds in abundance growing, and that too, without rain or watering.

Climate and Health—Listen, now:—The average summer heat is 75 to 80 degs., with cool nights; no musquitoes, day or night; no fever and ague, and no disease peculiar to the valley or town, winter or summer.—We have some of the first settlers living with us yet, over 100 years of age, and one in particular, over 110, sound in body and mind. We have had but one death out of the immigration of 1846, an old gentleman, who was broken down with disease before he came to our city.

The Morals of our city and vicinity will, I make no doubt, compare with those of the best of our neighboring cities and towns. We are a law abiding and a law supporting people, and have our churches and schools as well as others.

Persons wishing lots will apply soon to the subscriber in the south end of the city. JAMES F. REED.

City San Jose, 4th Aug. 1850.

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IN JUSTICE'S COURT.—Before Brown, George W. Bushnell *vs.* M. Expert, M. Massurier, and his sons. Same Court—William B. White *vs.* same defendants. To M. Expert, M. Massurier, and his sons, defendants in the above causes:

Complaints in these two causes were filed in my office, san Francisco, California, by said Bushnell and White respectively, Aug 16th, 1850, against you, as owners of the bark Gustave, for a breach of your contract, made in May last, with said Bushnell and White, respectively, have been issued by me, returnable the 22d of August, 1850. August 16th, aforesaid, said bark, tackle &c. was levied upon, by virtue thereof.—You are required to appear and answer said complaint, February 24th, 1851, at 10 o'clock, A.M, of that day, at my office.

H. S. Brown,
o1 6m23d Justice of the Peace.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. All persons having claims against the estates of James Wills and Henry Farmer, deceased, are hereby requested to present the same to the undersigned, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from this date: in default thereof they will be forever barred. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to

Joseph Henriques,
Public Administrator.

Office on Commercial street, dext door to Dart & Gales, up stairs.
Nov. 2, 1850. n2 2tw1m

ADMINISTRATOR'S Notice.—All persons having claims against the estates of Charles R. Bimley, Henry Bonfield and George Greswold, deceased, are hereby requested to present them to the undersigned at the office within ten months from this date, in default of which they will be forever barred. Those indebted to said estates are requested to make immediate payment.

Joseph Henriquez,
Public Administrator city San Francisco.
Office, Commercial street, next door to Dart & Gales, up stairs. o25 4tlaw

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ADMINISTRATOR'S Notice.—All persons having claims against the estate of Samuel C. Davis, deceased, are requested to present them to the undersigned within ten months from this date; in default thereof they will be forever barred. Those indebted to said estate will mak immediate payment to

Jo. Clements, Administrator.
corner of Washington and Kearny streets, "Verandah" building. nov. 5, 1850.
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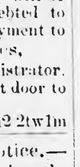
F. Argenti & Co., Bankers, San Francisco, Montgomery st., between Clay and Commercial, refer to and draw on—

Brown, Brothers & co, New York,
Brown, Shipley & co, Liverpool,
Samuel Nicholson & co, New Orleans,
Alex. Brown & sons, Baltimore,
Browns & Bowen, Philadelphia,
Jas. Adger & co, Charleston,
Morrell & Dickey, Mobile,
T. B. Curtis, Esq, Boston,
Geo. B. Cumming, Savannah.



Gold dust bought or insured, and forwarded to the U. States at the lowest rates. o1

AT A PROBATE COURT held at the City Hall in the city of San Francisco, on the 14th Nov., 1850: Present, Hon. R. N. Morrison, Probate Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Larkin, deceased:

Ordered, that Nov. 28th, 1850, at 10 A. M. be appointed for the hearing of the petition of Theodore Shillaber and A. P. Everett, praying for probate of the Will of Thos. Larkin, deceased

n15 2aw J. E. Addison, Clerk.

☞ Rules of Practice the of County Court of San Francisco—Sitting for the Trial of Appeals:

1. It shall be the duty of Justices of the Peace to endorse on the transcript the names of the Attorneys, if any, who appeared on the trial before him.

2. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to make up a docket of the causes entered for trial, in the order in which the appeal papers are filed; one copy for the court, and one for the use of the Bar.

3. Causes may be entered at the foot of the docket for trial, at any time during the first week of the term, by filing a stipulation to that effect.

4. A day docket of Jury causes will be made up after the first day of the term, from the regular docket, in their order, and of such as may be specially set down for trial by the Court, a list of which shall be posted by the Clerk on the Court-room door, and none others will be called for trial that day.

5. The party or attorney moving a jury cause for trial shall pay the jurors fees on the rendition of the verdict, and in default thereof will be held as standing in contempt, and liable to attachment.

6. After the first day of the term, if neither party answer on a cause being called in its order, it will go to the foot of the docket.

7. No defaults will be taken on the first day of the term, and no cause will be tried on that day, except both parties are ready.

8. In cases where a jury is waived, it shall be the duty of the parties or their attorneys to file a stipulation to that effect with the Clerk of the Court on the first day of the term.

9. Witnesses may be examined *de bene esse* before the Commissioners appointed by this Court, on one day's notice to the opposite party, and, in cases of emergency on such notice as the circumstances may allow

10. Special motions will be heard on each day, at the opening of the Court, at ten o'clock, A. M., on one day's notice, or on an order to show cause.

11. The Court will be kept open by adjournment after the docket is disposed of, for hearing motions and such other business as may be necessary, on Monday of each week, at 12 M., until the commencement of next term.

12. In all cases not herein provided for, the rules of practice of the District Court will be followed. o19 tf

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SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court, 4th Judicial District, county of San Francisco and State of California, duly tested and dated November 13th, 1850, in the case of John H. Merrill against Charles E. Picket, wherein a judgment was rendered in the sum of Fourteen Hundred dollars and fifty-seven 87-100 dollars costs against the said Picket, besides the accruing costs: said execution being to me directed and having been levied on; all that certain lot or parcel of land situate in the city of San Francisco, commencing at the southwest corner of Powell and Chestnut streets, running thence southerly on the west side of of Powell street fifty varas, thence westerly parallel with Chestnut street fifty varas, thence northerly and parallel with Powell street fifty varas, to the south side of Chestnut street, thence easterly on the south side of Chesnut street fifty varas to the place of beginning, said lot being 50 varas square, and numbered on the map of said city (683). Now, by virtue of said execution and the proceedings under the same, I shall expose for sale to the highest bidder for cash in front of the Court House, at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., on WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of December, 1850, the above described lot of land.

John C. Hays, Sheriff.
By John S. Powers, Dep, Sh'ff.
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COMMISSIONERS of Deeds—Notice—In accordance with Section 5 of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act empowering the Governor to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and defining the duties of such Officers," approved March 20, 1850, notice is hereby given that the following persons have been appointed Commissioners as provided in said Act, to reside at the places mentioned, viz:

J. H. Cheney, Boston, Mass.
Ebenezer Robbins, Oneida co., N. Y.
Samuel Ward, City of New York.
Alexander W. Foster, Pittsburg, Pa.
Harry T. Hoyt, New Orleans, La.
T. Bailey Myers, City of New York.
Graham L. Hughes, Liberty, Mo.
James M. Hughes, St. Louis, Mo.
W. M. F. Cooper, Nashville, Tenn.
Daniel E. Sickles, city of New York.
L. D. Champlin, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Ed. Shippen Philadelphia, Pa.
B. F. Graves, Lexington, Ky.
W. B. Parker, Portsmouth, N. H.
J. B. Ogden, Van Buren, Ark.
Jno. J. Plume, New York city.
Jno. F. Ennis, Washington, D. C.
Chas. Findley, Baltimore, Md.
D. C. Labatt, New Orleans, La.
A. C. Waugh, Mobile, Ala.
Geo. H. Hickman, Baltimore.
Jno. H. White, New York city.
Chas. J. Bushnell, do
Jno. H. Watson, St. Louis, Mo.
Chas. De Selding, Washington, D. C.

Wm. Van Voorhies,
Secretary of State.

Office of Secretary of State,
San Jose, Oct. 25, 1850. o26 6tw

STATE Marine Hospital—The Commissioners of Health for the port of San Francisco, have taken the building on Stockton street, lately known and occupied as the American Hotel, and have converted the same into a State Marine Hospital.

The public are informed that the Hospital is now open for the reception of patients.

The public authorities of the city of San Francisco, who have charge of the city poor, citizens, and all persons not entitled to hospital privileges, are also informed that patients will be admitted at this hospital for the moderate sum of $28 per week, in advance, including board, lodging and medica attendance.

For admission, apply at the Hospital, to the Resident Physician.

Lorenzo Hubbard, M. D.,
Resident Physician.

N. B. No patient laboring under an infectious or contagious disease will be treated a this Hospital, but a suitable place will be provided for them, on application as above. o1

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—All persons having claims against the estate of Joseph B. Williams, decease, are hereby requested to present the same to the undersigned, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from this date, in default of which they will be forever barred. Those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to

Thomas B. Cushing, Adm'r.,
Merrimack House, corner of Pine and Sansome sts. n25 2aw1m*
San Francisco, Nov. 23, 1850.

KLAMATH GOLD MINES, River and Town.—One of the most extensive fields for speculation at present in California.

The attention of the public is now called to this very important part of California. The town of Klamath is situated on the bank and at the vicinity of the mouth of a river, upon the numerous tributaries of which the most productive and extensive gold mines have been discovered of any now in existence in California. The Harbor (at the upper end of which this beautiful town site is situated) is both commodious and secure, and possesses the very superior advantage over all the other ports upon the coast between the Columbia river and San Francisco of a perfectly safe entrance. The river is a magnificent stream and navigable by steamers, according to the opinion of steamboat captains and others in every way competent to judge of the matter, at least 70 miles up; at, and even below which point, these very rich gold mines commence. Merchants and capitalists who are desirous of realizing a handsome profit upon their goods and an enormous return for their capital cannot enter into a better speculation or make a more safe investment of their means in any part of California, from the fact that there are at present about 2000 miners at work upon this river and its tributaries; and there is every reason to believe, from the numerous satisfactory statements of the miners, relative to their success during the last year, that next year there will be many times the number. The immediate rush to these mines from all parts will be immense, and in fact almost unprecedented; and this town, which may be said to be adjacent, in consequence of the water communication into the very heart of them, must and will undoubtedly be insured a speedy and almost magic growth, and by this time next year will be a very respectable rival to (if not totally eclipsing,) Sacramento and Stockton. Miners who have, during the last summer expended to such a deplorable extent their useless toil and labor in the southern mines, and have actually lost money in the place of making it, by the unsuccessful and numerous damming operations, and the scarcity of gold there, are strongly recommended to turn their attention to these mines, as the average amount dug last year, putting it at an infinitely lower estimate than from the statements of the miners we would be warranted in putting it, one ounce per day to the man. This alone is sufficient to justify the opinion that there is ample room for more, and when it is taken into consideration that not over one tenth part of the gold region has as yet been explored, the certainty of room is rendered beyond doubt. The enormous tax upon the miners for packing of provisions will next year be effectually obviated by the aid of water communication, which extends into the very heart of the mines. Goods can be taken from the deck of steamers by the miners in the place of the pack-saddle of the mule, and provisions now furnished at an expense of $1 50 for the mere packing, can be afforded for ten cents, thus enabling the miner to lay by the fruits of their labor, instead of expending so great a quota for subsistence. To persons wishing to invest capital to an advantage in town lots, an almost unparalleled money making speculation is now open; as lots at the present time can be procured at a comparatively low figure, and the price that they will be disposed of next spring will be high. Arrangements have been made for a steamer to ply between the town and the mines, which will warrant to miners the supply of provisions forthwith.

A map of the town and river can be seen at Messrs. Shultz & Palmer's, foot of Jackson street; at Bullett & Patrick's, corner of Jackson and Sansome streets; and at Worthington, Beale & Bunting's.

Any required information respecting the Mines, River, Town and Harbor, by application to Mr. John Gray, at Messrs. Schultz & Palmer, or to Mr. T. Bunting, at the firm of Worthington, Beale & Bunting, on Montgomery street. o16

THE PEOPLE of the State of California: To John Pile. By order of the District Court of the county of san Joaquin, at the May term thereof, A.D, 1850, You are hereby summoned to be and appear before said court, on the 4th Monday after the second Monday of November next ensuing, to answer Mary Anne Murray, of a bill of complaint exhibited against you and a certain Henry Lyne, and filed in the Clerk's Office of said court on the 14th day of May, A.D, 1850, by Mary Anne Murray, plaintiff, for the foreclosure of you, the said John Pile and the said Henry Lyne, of and from all equity of redemption of, in and to certain property situated in the town of Stockton, described in a mortgage executed by you to the said Murray, bearing date the 15th day of October, A.D, 1849; and you are notified that unless you appear at the time and place mentioned, and answer to said complaint, the same will be taken for confessed, and a decree entered accordingly.

A. C. BRADFORD, Clerk.
E. L. B. Brooks, for plaintiff. o1*

LAW BOOKS and Stationery.—Just received, a large invoice of law books, which we offer cheap for cash.

Civil code of Louisiana, New Clerk's Assistant, third edition; Louisiana digest, Starkie on evidence, Chitty on pleading, Blackstone's commentaries, Jarman on wills, Martins on reports, Kaupman's Mazkelky, Deslix's digest, Benjamin & Slidell's digest enlarged, Deslix's general Index from 1809 to 1843, together with a large assortment, too numerous to mention, for sale wholesale and retail by

Cooke & Lecount,
Booksellers and Stationers, Wells & Co. Buildings, Montgomery street. o1

BOAT STOLEN—Cut adrift from the stern of brig James Caskie, night of the 12th inst., a yawl boat, about 23 feet long, bottom painted white, black top, inside green and lead color, iron row sockets. Whoever will return said boat, or give information of her, where she may be found, to J. F. Stuart & Co., Jackson street, or Master on board, will be suitably rewarded.

o14 tf Oliver O. Jones,

ADMINISTRATOR'S Notice.—All persons having claims against the estate of Jacob Hina, (a Kanaka,) deceased, are requested to present them to the undersigned within ten months from this date, in default thereof they will be forever barred. Those indebted to said estate will make immediate payment.

H. G. Blankman, Administrator.
Office in Commercial street, next door to Dart & Gale, up stairs. o28 1aw4t

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REAL ESTATE—A bargain, 2 lots in California street will be sold cheap, if applied for immediately at the office of

W. Schleiden,
Ship and Custom House broker, Montgomery street, opposite the Custom house. o7 tf

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE of California, District of the County of Santa Clara: Jose De Arnaz vs. Genoveva Garcia Mangel, Emanuel Mangel and Lorenzo Geoffrey. Petition to foreclose mortgage, &c.

Whereas, Jose De Arnaz filed in this Court on the 16th day of May, 1850, his petition, showing, among other things, that on the 20th day of December, 1849, Genoveva Garcia Mangel, the wife of Emanuel Mangel, was the owner in fee of a certain house and lot in San Jose, adjoining and in the rear of the house lately occupied by Messrs. Larrain, Benitez & Co., and fronting on Garcia street, did on that day mortgage the same, with the consent of Emanuel Mangel, her husband, to said Arnaz, to secure the sum of five hundred and sixty dollars, payable four months from date: That afterwards, on or about the 15th day of January, 1850, said Emanuel Mangel and Genoveva G. Mangel executed a mortgage on the same premises to one Geoffrey, of San Francisco, for about fourteen hundred dollars; which said mortgage was falsely dated the 19th of December, 1849, with intent to defeat the prior mortgage lien on said real estate, and to cheat and defraud said petitioner out of his debt. Said petitioner prays discovery and full answer to the above facts, that said mortgage to Geoffrey be set aside as fraudulent, and that said premises be sold to pay petitioners's mortgage, and for general relief.

And it being proved by affidavit to the satisfaction of this Court that Emanuel Mangel is a non-resident of this State, notice is hereby given to Emanuel Mangel to be and appear before the Honorable Court of the Third Judicial District, for the County of Santa Clara, on the fourth Monday of December, 1850, at the court house in San Jose, then and there to answer said petition, or, in default thereof, the allegation therein contained will be heard in your absence and decreed accordingly.

Given under my hand and private seal, there being no seal of office yet provided at this office, this 24th of May, A. D. 1850.

L. S. H. C. MALONE, Clerk.
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA, County of Santa Clara: The People of the State of California to Isidora de la Torre of Mazatlan, Mexico, Alexander Forbes, William Barron, and Eustachio Barron, of Tepic, Mexico:

By order of the Hon. John H. Watson, Judge of the District Court of the county of Santa Clara, given on the 2d day of October, 1850. You are hereby summoned to be and appear before said court on the Fourth Monday of April, A. D. 1851, to answer the complaint of M. Z. B. Berreyesa, Wo. of Jose Reyes, of Ma. C. Berreyesa, and her husband; Ler Pinedo of Loretto Berreyesa, and her husband; J. Bijorques, of S. Berreyesa, J. S. Berreyesa, N. Berreyesa, F. Berreyesa, Fer. Berreyesa, M. Berreyesa and her husband; J. Fernandez, of W. R. Bassham, tutor of J. E. Berreyesa, and of Richard Roman, James Hepburn, and C. V. Stewart, against yourselves and James A. Forbes, Robert Walkenshaw, and John Parrott, filed in the Clerk's Office of said court at San Jose, on the 5th day of October, 1850, by the said plaintiffs, to recover from you the possession of a certain tract of land; being a portion of the Rancho de la Canada de los Capitancillas, alias San Vicente, and bounded and described as follows, viz: all the western portion of said rancho lying between the rancho de las Capitancillas, belonging to William Wiggins, and the arroyo de los Alamitos, with a tract lying east of and along said arroyo, of half a mile in width, and running to the Sierra, which land, and more especially the Mine, Hacienda, and appurtenances of New Almaden, thereon situate, the said plaintiffs claim as their property, and that you unlawfully retain possession thereof since the first day of February, 1845. Wherefore they pray to have you ejected from the same, and to recover from you seven hundred thousand dollars, as the rents and profits thereof since the said 1st day of February, 1845, and also three hundred thousand dollars damages for the trespasses and wrongs by you committed thereon. And you are notified that unless you appear and answer said complaint at the time and place mentioned, that the same will be heard upon default and a decree entered accordingly.

Given under my hand and private seal, there being no seal of office yet provided at this office, this 17th day of October, 1850.

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H. C. Malone, Clerk.
Weller & Jones, for plaintiffs. o21 6m

THE STATE of California—In the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, for the County of San Francisco. Godeffroy, Sillem & Co. vs. Albert Priest

The People of the State of California to Albert Priest, send greeting:

You are hereby summoned to appear in the said District Court of the county of San Francisco, on or before the first Monday in May next, and answer the complaint of Alfred Godeffroy and William Sillem, residents of said San Francisco, and copartners in trade under the firm of style of Godeffroy, Sillem & Co., filed with the Clerk of said Court on the 12th day of October, 1850, whereby they, the said plaintiffs, claim the sum of five thousand six hundred and forty-five 50-100 dollars, exclusive of interest, damages and costs of suit, and found their claim on a certain bill of exchange drawn by said Albert Priest, dated the 24th day of June, A. D. 1850, at Brunswick, Germany, on Henry M. Naglee, at San Francisco, and requested him, the said Naglee, ten days after sight, to pay to the order of Messieurs J. C. Godeffroy and Son, Hambro, Germany, the sum of five thousand six hundred and forty-five 50-100 dollars in gold dust at sixteen dollars per ounce, Troy, for value received, and endorsed by said J. C. Godeffroy & Son to the said plaintiffs or order; accepted by said Naglee and protested for non-payment.

Witness, Hon. Levi Parsons, Judge of said Court, at the Court House thereof, this 18th day of October, A D 1850

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Attest, John E. Addison, Clerk,
by Jas. D. Galbraith, Dep. Clerk
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